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Just moving across street

Now here's an unusual mobile home! A house at 623 Greer St. was moved this morning, something that doesn't occur much any more. The house was moved across the street to make room for an ice house. Moving the house was Sonny Johnson, driving truck. Former owner Gene Ramsey sat atop the house while it was moved.

(Daily Standard photo by Ron Porter)

House bill would cut sales tax on drugs

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A bill to remove sales tax from prescription drugs received approval from a House committee Tuesday night while two other controversial issues were being heard by other committees.

A proposed constitutional amendment to legalize certain forms of gambling drew strong opposition before the House Constitutional Amendments Committee.

The measure, sponsored by Rep. Earl Schlef, D-St. Louis, would authorize lotteries by religious, charitable and educational non-profit institutions, pari mutuel betting and a state lottery.

Schlef said the amendment is drawn so that the funds received by the state would be directed to use in urban areas for public transportation.

In response to a question from the committee however, he said he would not object to an amendment to allow other purposes for the funds, such as education and mental health.

Schlef estimated net income to the state from a lottery alone would be $35.1 million a year. He based the estimate on a sale of 3 million tickets weekly at 50 cents each.

Dr. Arthur C. Fulbright, pastor of a Columbia Methodist Church, said the United Methodist Church was opposed to the legalization of gambling in any form.

Dr. Hugh Wamble, chairman of the Missouri Baptist Christian Life Commission, said taxes had not been lessened in states which have legalized pari mutuel betting and had increased in some cases.

Mrs. Nell Lockwood of Kirkwood, a representative of the Missourians Against Organized Gambling, said the issue was defeated by the people two years ago and should not be submitted again.

She said the current costs for collecting $1 of tax revenue in Missouri are 1½ to 2 cents. The costs in states with lotteries for each $1 of revenue from the lottery, she said, range from 25 to 40 cents.

In House action, a bill that would exempt the state sales tax on prescription drugs was approved and sent to the floor by the Ways and Means Committee.

The bill's sponsor Rep. Bob Feigenbaum, D-Florissant, said, "it just doesn't make sense to tax a person because he has an illness or disease." He said it would cost the state $3.2 million in fiscal 1974-75 if passed.

Also in the House, Rep. J. B. "Jet" Banks, D-St. Louis, called for a bill that would require newspapers to give equal space for replies by candidates who are "attacked" in news or editorial columns. Action on the bill was expected today, committee Chairman Harold Holliday, D-Kansas City, said.

Banks told the House Civil and Criminal Procedures Committee that the St. Louis press had been guilty of attacks on candidates and public office holders. He said persons attacked had no recourse for rebuttal and if they can't reply their First Amendment rights are abridged.

Secretary of State James Kirkpatrick said candidates do have recourse if they would write letters to the editors. He publishes a paper in Lamar, Mo.

Kirkpatrick called the bill "an injustice to all the newspapers of the state" because it is aimed only at specific papers.

Banks said he had asked St. Louis papers for space for letters and was refused.

The Missouri Senate has said no to Gov. Christopher S. Bond's first reorganization plan filed in connection with the new reorganization bill he plans to sign today.

The governor's office announced a signing ceremony for 1:30 p.m. in the Capitol rotunda.

The compromise state government reorganization bill left out a section in the House bill extending the merit system to the Revenue Department, the state's chief tax collection agency.

But Bond offered a reorganization plan to put all but 30 of the 1,577 Revenue Department employes under the Merit (Civil Service) System. It was defeated in the Senate Tuesday, 21-12. Either House can reject a plan by a majority vote and that kills it.

The House, meanwhile, debated a new school foundation distribution formula all day Tuesday and debate was expected to continue on it today. It would cost from $60 million to $76 million to implement in the first year it goes into effect, 1975-76.

At the top of the calendar for final approval by the House today was a bill to reinstate the death penalty for a dozen specific crimes, only two types of which would be premeditated, first degree murder. Thev are

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SeMo records first 1974 traffic fatality

A Perryville youth became Southeast Missouri's first 1974 traffic fatality victim Tuesday According to the highway patrol, 14 persons had been killed on area roads and highways at the same time last year.

Four persons were slightly injured in the three other traffic accidents Monday and early today.

Dale Roth, 18, of Perryville Route One was dead on arrival at Perry County Memorial Hospital following an accident at 7:25 p.m. Tuesday on Route A two and a half miles east of Uniontown.

The accident occurred when Roth rounded a curve on a motorcycle, which crossed the center line and sideswiped a car driven by William Bock, 67, of Frohna Route One, who was not injured.

A hit and run accident early today near Puxico resulted in minor injuries to two persons and a search for the missing driver by the highway patrol.

At 12:25 a.m., as Thomas Smith, 33, of Puxico was making a left turn onto a gravel road from Highway 51 four miles south of Puxico, his car was struck in the left side by a car pulling onto the highway from the gravel road.

The patrol said the car apparently had been waiting on the gravel road to come onto the highway.

The driver left on foot, and, according to the patrol, no serial number, license number or any kind of sticker was found on the abandoned car.

Smith and a passenger, Charles Johnson, 32, of Puxico, suffered minor injuries and were treated and released at Dexter Memorial Hospital.

Patricia Huddleston, 21, of Poplar Bluff received minor injuries at 8 p.m. Tuesday when her car ran off Highway 60 four miles east of Poplar Bluff and struck a utility pole.

She was taken to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

A one- car accident at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday resulted in minor injuries to Donald Cade, 21, of Broseley.

The patrol said Cade lost control of his car which struck a bridge abutment.

He was taken to Veterans Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

2 escapees sought

NEW MADRID-- Two escapees from New Madrid County jail are being sought today by the county sheriff's department and the highway patrol

The men identified as Frederick William Ayers Jr., 19, and Daniel Louis Smith, 19, of Michigan are thought to have escaped sometime before 11 p.m. Tuesday night.

According to sheriff's deputies, the men knocked out a light fixture in the ceiling of their cell, climbed into the attic, knocked a hole in a ventilator and crawled out onto the roof. They managed to get to the roof of a lower porch where they jumped off and fled on foot.

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City taxes, fees total $89,732

The city collected $89,732 in taxes and fees in January, City Collector C. W. Martin said today.

Current collections totaled $61,760, including $46,516 for real estate, $12,509 for personal property and $2,735 for merchants and manufacturers taxes.

Back tax collections included: real estate, $2,133; personal property, $465; and merchants and manufacturers, $1.74.

License collections totaled $12,089, including merchants, $1,038; automobile, $10,882; and dog, $168.

Miscellaneous collections totaled $13,280, including: interest, $377; clerk costs, $35; New Madrid County Railroad and utility taxes $766; Missouri Utilities, $8,466; and Associated Natural Gas, $3,634.

Attendance returning to normal

Student attendance returning to normal after the flu went through the Sikeston R-6 school system late last week and early this week.

"We are very much over the hump now," Robert Miller, director of elementary education said today, "absenteeism is back to 10 per cent or below."

The high school and junior high school have escaped most of the flu. The absenteeism rate at the schools is not appreciably greater than normal, according to Roger Sherman, principal of the high school.

"We haven't had a bad day so far," he said.

Absenteeism at Southeast Elementary School remains above 10 per cent, Miller said, but the flu hit the school later than it did the others.

Miller said on the worst days, Friday and Monday, 250 to 270 students were absent from the elementary system. There are about 2,300 children in the elementary schools.

Park director needed

CHARLESTON — The City Council Tuesday night discussed the hiring of a recreation director and park attendant heard a report from the urban renewal director, adopted election ordinances and named Police Chief Bob Richey director of the auxiliary police unit.

An ordinance was adopted to set April 2 as the date for the city's general election to elect two councilmen for three-year terms.

The terms of Councilmen Lowell Nicholas and Wyman Beasley are expiring.

Also adopted was an ordinance setting March 19 as primary election date, if more than four candidates file for the two positions.

The council adopted an ordinance establishing the city's five voting precincts and an ordinance adding annexation of property south of Highway 62 and northwest of Interstate 57, owned by Charleston Development Corp., to the ballot for the general election.

Development of Lincoln Park will cost an estimated $3,500, according to a report given by Don Daughhetee, chairman of the park board. This would include resurfacing of tennis and basketball courts, goals and lighting. Daughhetee also said a full- time recreation director is needed, and the council suggested that school officials be contacted to see if something might be worked out between the schools and the city.

Vandalism at Hillhouse Park was discussed, and it was agreed that location of the park in an unpopulated area has created a need for full-time supervision to combat increasing vandalism.

The council voted to offer free parking space in the park for a mobile home, water and sewer services, plus payment of the base price for telephone service in return for supervision over the park. Acting City manager Willis Downs was instructed to take and screen applications.

Tanna Parish, urban renewal director informed the council that 14 areas,

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Firemen answer 3 calls

Firemen were called to extinguish a burning shed this morning and burning clothes in a dryer Tuesday night.

At 5:25 a.m. today, firemen were called to extinguish a fire in a burning shed behind the Rev. P. W. Henderson home, 315 Luther St.

Firemen were able to extinguish the fire before it destroyed the building. A second shed nearby was not damaged.

Firemen said the fire may have been caused by trash burning in a barrel between the two sheds.

Fire Chief Larry Linnemeyer said police officers Ed Webb, Ray Merrick, W. J. Harrington and Marshall Moore provided valuable assistance to firemen.

At 7:25 p.m. Tuesday, firemen were called to the Bennie Walker Jr. home, 711 Hickory Drive, when clothing ignited in a clothes dryer.

Firemen said the dryer was heavily damaged and the house suffered smoke damage.

Firemen were also called to a grass fire shortly after 1 p.m. Tuesday on Warner Street.

Advance to vote on marshal

ADVANCE — Residents of Advance will go to the polls Tuesday to cast ballots in a special election called to decide whether the office of town marshal should be an elective or appointive office.

Voters from both wards will vote at the city hall.

Mayors discuss garbage pickup, radio monitors

MORLEY— Everett Bucy, sales manager for Bucy Sanitation Equipment Sales at Rector, Ark., spoke to the Scott County Mayors Association Tuesday night about a truck suitable for small towns garbage pickups and Glenn Greene, director of the Scott County Civil Defense Program, talked to the mayors about purchasing radio monitors for use during emergency situations.

Bucy told the mayors that the approximate cost of the truck would be $8,500 to $8,900, depending on the equipment desired.

"The truck is a small unit that is simple to operate safely, requires little maintenance and is perfect for a small town," Bucy remarked.

Greene said the radios cost $150 per unit, but that state and federal disaster assistance is available that would cut the local cost to $75.

Greene said schools, fire departments, police departments and hospitals under the assistance programs are eligible to receive a monitor.

"A monitor will be attached to the Scott County sheriff's office in Benton and, when an emergency situation arises, it will be broadcasted over the radio," Green said.

Greene added that radio or television stations can warn people during the day, but that some small communities have no way of letting people know of an emergency during night hours.

Fire under control

Sikeston Fire Chief Larry Linnemeyer works with a backpacked spray gun to control a large grass fire on Warner Street Tuesday afternoon. The fire department plans to control grass fires but to allow them to burn off the fields where and if they happen. High winds and dry conditions recently have combined with open burning to start several grass fires in Sikeston. (Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

State ag aviation officers

New officers for the Missouri Agricultural Aviation Association were elected at the annual business meeting held Tuesday in Sikeston. They are from left: Jim Hall of Hayti, secretary- treasurer; K. J. Woods of East Prairie, elected to the board of directors and outgoing president; James G. "Pete" Malone of Sikeston, president; and Kenneth McDowell of Charleston, vice president. (Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

It's inside.....

Area hairdressers will meet for spring educational roundup at Poplar Bluff this weekend. For business news, turn to...pages 10 and 18.

Sikeston High School basketball team sets fieldhouse scoring record. Turn to. .page 6.

Heart- shaped cakes and Love Punch recipes are included in today's Cooking-Up column for that special valentine. Turn to...page 21.

.....and outside

Increasing cloudiness tonight, colder by morning with the low in the mid 30s. Winds north to northwest, 5-12 mph. Chance of showers late tonight and Thursday. Sharply colder Thursday, high from low to mid 40s. Probability of precipitation 30 per cent tonight, 40 per cent Thursday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Chance of rain Saturday. Cold Friday, warmer over weekend. Low Friday in the 20s, high in the 40s; Saturday and Sunday lows around 30and highs up from upper 40s to mid 50s.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 65 and 34 degrees.

Sunset today ..... 6:36 p.m.

Sunrise tomorrow...7:49 a.m.

The moon, at Last Quarter today, rises tomorrow at--- 2:18 a.m.

Jupiter, the largest planet, is now almost directly beyond the sun and about 561 million miles from the Earth today, its greatest distance this year.

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Wednesday, February 13 — 1544, William and Mary of Orange are drafted into the Navel Reserve.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Hardest thing to keep on the tracks is a train of thought.

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Pollution is a household word today. We have air pollution, noise pollution, water pollution, mind pollution. So we have troubles today but we live a life of ease compared to the heroes of yesteryear. Join with the Daughters of the American Revolution in celebrating February as American History Month and be thankful for our liberty won by our heroes when living was harder but pollution was unknown.

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If the newspaper reports are to be believed it looks like Senator Scott who is the minority leader in the Senate is treading on close and dangerous ground in supporting Nixon as heavily as he is. I don't know, of course, I think that it would be a lot better if the Democrats kept their mouths shut about impeachment and his resignation and left it up to the Republicans to get rid of him because he is the boy that is going to retire a lot of the Republicans in Congress this year.

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Charlie Henson, Lord Mayor of North Dogtrot confides that he guesses that he won't be going anywhere this year except into debt.

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GET INVOLVED
FOR THEM:

February is Anniversary Celebration Month: It's anniversary time for the Boy Scouts of America, and 5,100 members in the Southeast Missouri Council will observe its 64th birthday during the month of February.

For the first year of its participation in America's bicentennial program, the Boy Scouts of America is emphasizing Get Involved for Them.

GIFT, which comes from the initials of the emphasis, represents an opportunity for the Scouting people to recognize those who contribute so much to the community. During the 64th Anniversary Celebration of the Boy Scouts of America in February, the Scouts are looking both to non-Scouting as well as Scouting groups to commend accomplishments.

It's surely a long list in our area, but pride should be taken, too, in the accomplishments of Scouting's leaders and the organizations that use the Scouting program.

Over the years, Scouting has made a major contribution to the Nation, and it's success in keeping up- to - date in its activities also should be commended by all our citizens.

In fact, we'd say that Scout people probably lead the list of those who get involved for community betterment.

We wish the Boy Scouts of America a "happy birthday," and salute the leaders and organizations that make it possible. They are interested in youth and are doing something about it.

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This imaginative — and perhaps effective — lost- and - found ad appeared in the Calgary Albertan: "Whoever picked up brown cowboy boots in Academy Parkade Tuesday is invited to call to get information on treatment of the rare foot disease he now has."

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According to a news report, interest on the public debt cost U. S. taxpayers $10.3 billion in 1963. For 1973 they will have to shell out an estimated $23.4 billion.

This makes any taxpayer ask: Will there ever be a majority of members in Congress to reduce federal spending and reduce the national debt?

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After stumbling around in the dark in recent mornings since Daylight Saving Time became effective, we don't want to sound unpatriotic but whoever rammed this measure through the Congress to save on energy must be a nut.

As we watch school children walk in the dark as well as those who wait for their school bus pickup in the darkness on rural roads and street corners, it should make us realize that local communities are caught in the middle of frustrating federal regulation. If using electricity and heat in the morning darkness isn't as wasteful as the early evening darkness before DST, then we'd like some expert to explain this to us.

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Over the years, we have observed that strange disease known as Potomac Fever has claimed many a congressman. It seems that once a legislator has made Washington his stomping grounds, he is loath to leave it -- even when voters retire him.

Thus many ex-congressmen crop up on Capitol Hill as lobbyists for various interests after a defeat at the polls. According to the Wall Street Journal, most congressmen- turned - lobbyists have two natural advantages: a knowledge of the customs of Congress and, because of their privileges as former lawmakers, easy access to the congressmen themselves. Apparently, they are more effective than competitors who have never served in Congress.

It seems once the bureaucratic bug invades the bloodstream, it is hard to shake it. This fact substantiates the fear that the federal government has a natural tendency to grow, its ranks swelling each year with new legislators and bureaucrats, not to mention the lobbyists who come to town to deal with them. We may be short of everything else, but the supply of federal control over American lives is still growing by leaps and bounds.

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Her folks are all right if a woman is more attentive to her husband's wants after she returns from visiting them.

"Fancy meeting you here."

TOMORROW

FEBRUARY 14—THURSDAY

ARIZONA: ADMISSION DAY. Feb. 14. Became 48th State on this day in 1912.

NATIONAL KRAUT & FRANKFURTER WEEK. Feb. 14-23. Purpose: To promote the century - old alliance of kraut and frankfurters. Sponsor: Natl. Kraut Packers Assn., 108 1-2 E. Main St., St. Charles, Ill. 60174. Info. from: Theodore R. Sills, Inc., 1 E. Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. 60601.

OLD CANDLEMAS. Feb. 14. Candlemas under Old Style Calendar.

OREGON: ADMISSION DAY. Feb. 14. Became 33rd State on this day in 1859.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY. Feb. 14. Celebrates the festival of two saints of this name martyred by the Roman Emperor Claudius on the same day.

VITICULTURISTS' DAY [TRIFON ZAREZAN]. Feb. 14. Throughout Bulgaria. Celebrated since Thracian times, festivities are based on cult of Dionysus, god of merriment and wine.

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WOULD TURN
IN HIS CASKET

If the Father of Our Country could wake up at Mt. Vernon, and look at the calendar, wouldn't he be surprised that his birthday is being observed on Monday, February 18. He also would be shocked at how the President of United States is now looked upon, and marvel that Washington, D. C., is only one of the three homes used by the so-called leader of his country. We feel sure the man who changed the 13 colonies into the United States of America, would prefer to rest in peace in that pink casket at Mt. Vernon.

Shelbina Democrat

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SANCTIONING UNION
VIOLENCE

With Americans more independent than ever before, keeping rank - and - file wage earners and small businessmen "in line" has become an obsession with union professionals.

As an official of one international union recently admitted in an unusual moment of candor with a Washington Post reporter, "We beat the - - - - out of them," when certain workers defy union orders.

From the volume of news accounts which daily cross our desk, this way of dealing with men and women who arouse the displeasure of union officials has become standard operating procedure all across the country.

It is very clear that many union organizers restrict their use of violence only to the extent that they feel they must in order to keep from getting thrown into jail.

Sometimes it works for them, occasionally it backfires In St. Joseph, Mo., an act of sabotage against an employer who refused to discriminate against workers who didn't want to join a union, left a union representative dead when the shotgun he and his buddies used to carry out their "rat raid" accidentally discharged in their auto. An international union representative was reportedly imported to St. Joseph expressly to help plan and carry out the raid.

As the local St. Joseph News- Press remarked: "The presence of an international man indicates sanctioning of such tactics by the international union. He had no business here, either as the instigator of the sabotage mission, as a participant in it, or merely as someone with knowledge of it."

Like many instances of officially sanctioned union violence compulsory unionism was the key factor in St. Joe. The "rat raid" was prompted by the refusal of a small businessman to agree to force his workers to join a union they wanted no part of. It was a small but deadly chapter in a story that has criminal investigation files bulging nationwide.

Also in recent weeks; Florida State Rep. Lewis Earle of Orlando reports threats on his life prompted by his efforts to erase illegal discrimination against local employees who refuse to be coerced into joining a union. In Colorado, recent incidents of violence - all linked to a strike called by union bosses to enforce their demand for a compulsory union shop contract - have included "a fire bombing in front of a ... (worker's) home, several windows shot out in the homes of employees who cross picket lines, broken car windows," and a bombing which completely demolished the auto of one of the workers who was led the opposition to compulsory unionism. From coast to coast, the story is the same.

As Senator John McClellan (D-Ark.) reported to the nation after the conclusion of the famous labor- rackets hearings several years ago: "Compulsory unionism and corruption go hand in hand."

Today we must add the word violence — and the saga of an unending barrage of bombings, beatings, gunshots and threats that are a matter of international union policy, carried out to force workers into unions they don't want. It's not a happy picture...

Unfortunately, so long as our nation continues to operate under a federal labor policy which protects and encourages force and coercion by union officials against individual citizens, this sorry spectacle will continue to worsen.

Congressman Sam Steiger (Ariz.) and 24 of his colleagues in the House, and Sen. William Scott (Va.) have moved to solve this problem with new legislation which would outlaw forced union membership — and thereby restore control of unions to the members, who would be free to respond to abusive "leaders" by quitting, and still keeping their jobs. But so far, union - controlled Members of Congress in trategic positions have been able to prevent even public hearings on the much- needed proposal.

Meanwhile, we must sadly report the bombings, beatings and shootings by paid union "goons" continue to take their tragic toll.

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If present oil prices and distribution patterns are maintained, a world economic service reports that Arab oil-producing countries could corner up to 70 per cent of the world's currency reserves by 1980.

There is evidence that many of the oil exporting nations do not appreciate the gravity of the situation. Both Algeria and Venezuela have recently called for further increases in the price of oil. The Shah of Iran has indicated that additional increases are in store after April 1.

In a way, you can not blame the Arab oil - producing nations for demanding a better deal. First of all it must be recognized that they possess a depleting asset. When the oil is gone, they have nothing else to sell. Therefore, they must be sure that what they receive for the oil will have lasting value. Yet, in recent years, they have found that currencies they accepted have declined in value either in world markets or in purchasing power.

It can truly be said that we are in the midst of a flight from paper money. Most major currencies have been taking a beating in world money markets. The leading nations of the world must take steps to curb inflation in order to put their currencies on a sound footing. Only when confidence in paper money has been reestablished will the oil sheiks moderate their demands.

In the midst of this environment, the U. S. Treasury made a little noticed announcement. They requested authority from Congress to switch from copper to aluminum in minting the one cent coin. They claim that, because of the rising cost of copper, they can no longer afford to make pennies out of this metal. Does this story sound familiar? It wasn't so long ago that the dollar was backed by gold. More recently, dimes and quarters were made of silver. But, when the sound backing for U. S. currency was removed, the depreciation of its value accelerated. Now we are told that the hard metal in a lowly penny is becoming worth more than the currency itself.

Can anyone really blame the oil- producing nations when they say they don't want any more depreciating paper?

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TALES OF WOE
ON PAY TOILETS

Some laugh about the issue, some are dead serious about it and others don't really care, but if a state representative has his way pay toilets will be out in Missouri.

A bill that would ban pay toilets in places of public accommodation was debated with considerable humor yesterday in the House Committee on Public Health and Safety. The commitee members decided to hold the bill over until the committee's next session.

Rep. Al Mueller (D-St. Louis), sponsor of the bill, contended basically that pay toilets constitute an inconvenience rather than a service.

State Rep. John E. Scott (D-St. Louis), speaking in favor of Muellers bill, recounted a humorous but distressing incident that occurred about 10 years ago in a department store. He was with his young son, he said, who suddenly had to go to the restroom. Inside the restroom Scott found only pay toilets and he had no change.

He solved the immediate dilemma, he said, by throwing his son over the door. But his problems were not over. "Mr. chairman," he said, "I couldn't get him out."

He said he went for change and finally was able to free his son, who was quite distressed.

Four persons spoke in opposition to the bill. A representative of a firm that manufacturers and leases toilet locks said open stalls invite vandalism. Officials of Greyhound Bus Lines and Continental Trailways said the cost of maintaining restrooms exceeds the revenue generated through pay toilets.

J. H. (Joe) Serviss, a lobbyist for Kansas City, said pay toilets at Kansas City International Airport provide revenue for the city. In addition, he said, pay toilets are more sanitary.

In closing Serviss recalled an adage he thought applied to the matter being considered "In America," he said, "you pay as you go."

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Then there was the college student who flunked his final exam because he gave the formula for water as HIJKLMNO. He thought the professor had said H to 0.

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A recent checkup revealed that 19 different songs entitled "Mary Dear" have been copyrighted at various times in the United States. There are 118 different songs copyrighted under the title of "Blue Eyes," and 203 catalogued songs are entitled, "I Love You."

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THEY NEED IT

In reference to the article last week by Charles W. Hucker of The Star's staff regarding the new restroom for the state legislators at Jefferson City, please count me highly in favor of the addition as it seems very evident that use of this room is the only place the legislators know what they are doing. A. B. Weyer

Kansas City Star

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WOMEN'S CLUBS ARE
A SOURCE OF POWER
FOR GOOD, SAYS
LANDIS

"Women's clubs are a tremendous source of power for good," says Lee Landis, women's editor for the National Association of Manufacturers. "Never underestimate the work they do to improve their communities and the nation as a whole."

Miss Landis refutes the idea that women's clubs are gossipy, ineffectual groups interested only in home and personal interests. Over the past five years, readers of NAM's "Program Notes," a free bi-monthly that goes to 20,000 leaders of women's clubs, have sent for thousands of kits and booklets on serious subjects.

The most popular booklets recently have been "Energy — the Need Is Now"; "Career Education — A New Concept of Teaching"; "It's Your Money They Spend!" and "Questions and Answers for Consumers."

The booklets are used by clubs for one or a series of programs. Over the past two years more than 40,000 requests from women's clubs for booklets and speeches on vital issues have been filled.

A newly revised Program Manual lists the current free material for volunteer organizations and may be obtained by writing Miss Lee Landis, National Association of Manufacturers, 277 Park Ave., New York, N. Y. 10017

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WHEN DO WE
GET OLD

Physiologists tell us that in all mammals, except man, the period of life is five times the period of growth. A dog gets its full growth in two years, and lives ten; a horse in five years, and lives twenty- five. On this basis a man should live from one hundred to one hundred and fifty years.

But Willism James, an eminent psychologist, said that most men are "old fogies" at twenty-five. It is true that most men at twenty- five are satisfied with their jobs. They have accumulated the little stock of prejudices that they call "principles" and close their mind to new ideas. They have ceased to grow.

When a man ceases to grow, no matter what the years, then and there he begins to be old.

But the really great men never cease to grow. Bismark, who died at eight-three, did his greatest work after he was seventy. Titian, the celebrated painter, lived to be ninety-nine painting right up to the end Goethe passed on at eight-three and finished his "Faust" only a few years earlier. Gladstone took up a new language when he was seventy. Laplace, the astronomer, was still at work when death caught up with him at seventy- eight." He passed on crying, "What we know is nothing; what we do not know is immense."

These men, and thousands like them, died young. They were still unsatisfied, still growing.

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We have often wondered why men lie about each other. The plain truth would be bad enough.

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"Good heavens," said the sweet young girl, "70 isn't old for a millionaire!"

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It isn't the incompetent who destroy an organization. The incompetent never get in a position to destroy it. It is those who have achieved something and want to rest upon their achievements who are forever clogging things up.

H.L. Hunt

BREZHNEV IN CUBA

Leonid Brezhnev, strong man of the Soviet Union, has paid a state visit to Cuba where he was feted by a younger but also dangerous communist, Fidel Castro. It was Brezhnev's first trip to Cuba and he messaged his greetings to the people of the United States as his plane passed near the Florida coast. As this was written, it was not known what the outcome of his sessions with Castro would be but it was safe to assume that neither communist leader was thinking in terms of advancing U. S. interests.

It is believed that Cuba, impoverished by more than a decade of communism and Castro rule, is costing the Soviet over $1 million a day. That is a costly thorn for Russia to keep in the side of the U. S. Cuba under Castro was to have been a base for the export of communist intrigue and revolution to Central and South America. The plan has not been successful. Our neighbors to the South, with the exception of Cuba, have remained independent.

Sentimentally, the peoples of Cuba and the United States remain strong despite Castro. Hope remains that Cuba shall be free again one day. We should keep that hope alive. If there are proposals for detente with the Castro regime, Congress and the American people should take a long hard look before they accept it. The internal affairs of other nations should not be dictated by the U.S., but Americans will remember that Castro and the Russians implanted rockets aimed directly at our heart only a few years ago. Americans also remember the enslavement of thousands of freedom- loving Cubans and the murder of many others. Castroism would be a tough pill for us to swallow. HLH

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — John Wayne has done battle many times in the more than 200 films he has made since 1929 — as a Western hero in 150 of them, but, in his latest, "McQ," as a detective.

His biggest battle, however, has been during the last nine years against what he calls the "Big C" — lung cancer.

If he were to put life into one word, he would say "exciting."

"Since that cancer operation, it is awfully nice to wake up in the morning."

His philosophy in short: "I try to live my life to the fullest without hurting anybody else. I try not to unintentionally hurt anybody's feelings. If I do hurt anybody's feelings, I had all intention of hurting them."

He has been a movie star for 43 years and figures he and Jimmy Stewart are the "two top men." He has "No desire at all" to retire and says, "I really enjoy my work. You die if you retire, if not physically, mentally. I am 66 and a hard day's work still appeals to me."

Wayne started acting in high school and gave up aspirations to be a lawyer when he played a part in "Paint Your Wagon."

In 1928, he was on the University of Southern California football team and was put in a film. He says he got great advice from two people in the business, Harry Carey and his wife, Olive. They told him, "You have to become the image of the character in the film." Now, he says, it is tough for kids in the business because "they take a young kid and put him in a picture. There is no continuity of leadership anymore."

He thinks his best quality is that he likes people and respects the other fellow's point of view and his worst fault is that he is more highly emotional than he appears and "given a chance I find myself talking too much."

"My public image has been quite heroic; I feel this like a country boy. I suppose that you tend to manage your life and your thinking in a manner that is expected. I would not want mine to be different."

When asked how he feels about the fact that some people picture him as a flag-waver, the 6 foot 4 "Duke" — as his friends call him — sits tall in the saddle and his blue eyes flash. "It annoys me because I have a normal love for my country. I have been in the public view and when people ask questions, I say what I think. This county in 200 years, has taken a wilderness and made it a farm that feeds the world and a factory that defends the world." Wayne was born Marion Michael Morrison in Winterset, Iowa, but left that state at age 4 and has never returned. His father was a pharmacist in Glendale, Calif. He got his nickname as a boy when he walked his dog, Duke, and friends started to call him "Duke."

Washington-Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON & LES WHITTEN SAYS:

$6 Billion Joy Ride

WASHINGTON-- That renaissance man of consumerism, Ralph Nader, has turned temporarily from auto safety to auto fuels and found gasoline companies are taking the United States for a $6 billion joy ride in 1974.

In a draft study, Nader reports the oil companies pay even less tax on their income than President Nixon, while they pump the Treasury for $6 billion in unwarranted tax breaks.

"Taxpayers have been tricked into paying the oil companies and their wealthy investors billions a year through tax subsidies," says Nader's Tax Reform Research Group. Big Oil's friends in Congress try to justify the loopholes by saying they are needed to encourage exploration.

"But the billions...we've spent have utterly failed to prevent the present energy shortage," the Nader report goes on. "Consumers and taxpayers shouldn't always be the fall guys. The...tax subsidies should be scrapped."

For instance, in 1972, Exxon paid 6.5 per cent on $3.7 billion in profits, Texaco paid 1.7 per cent and Mobil paid 1.3 per cent, although corporations are supposed to pay 48 per cent.

And while motorists line up at 6:00 a.m. to pay 50 cents a gallon for "regular," and sleepy- eyed attendants and station managers do their best to keep a stiff upper lip, the oil moguls are reaping 60 per cent higher profits than last year. Their recent 10- cent- a- gallon rise is giving them a $10 billion bonanza, the tax reform group says.

The two most gaping tax loopholes are the famous oil depletion allowance and a provision that permits write- offs of "intangible drilling costs" like labor and transportation in a single year. Most businesses have to spread write- offs over many years.

These two breaks alone "cost the taxpayers $1.6 billion in 1972 and are projected to...a whopping $2.9 billion in fiscal 1975," the report contends.

Another little- known loophole is that oil firms with foreign subsidiaries can count their royalties to Arab and other potentates as taxes and deduct the entire amounts from their U. S. tax bill. This is a little like letting an ordinary taxpayer deduct charitable contributions and doctors' fees from the actual amount of income taxes owned instead of from income.

Far from suffering from the increases of foreign oil prices, the oil companies will be able to reduce their U. S. taxes by $3 billion in 1974 because of this royalty gimmick, the Nader group estimates.

"And we taxpayers have to foot the bill for tax laws that actually deprive us of oil by making it more profitable for oil to be produced and sold aborad," says the study.

President Nixon's "windfall profits" plan actually would only cost the oil companies pennies per barrel even if present profits soar higher, Nader concludes. "In three years the oil companies will pay no tax at all on oil they sell for $7 a barrel. This phase- out will just encourage the oil producers to keep their oil in the ground until the tax...ends completely."

In any case, the Nader group predicts that when the going gets rough, the guileful oil companies will sneak their profits into other parts of their operation such as shipping or refining.

Nader castigates Senate Finance Chairman Russell Long, D- La., an oil millionaire, and his House counterpart, Rep. Wilbur Mills, D- Ark., for paying attention to "their own self interests" instead of the national interest.

While Long has made no secret of his friendship for fellow oil millionaires, Mills has tried to appear more even- handed. Yet, in fact, at Mills' House Ways and Means hearings, witnesses for Exxon, Gulf, Sun and other oil companies were allowed to testify in prime time so their views could beheard by the full committee.

But such devoted consumer advocates as former Treasury tax analysis head Gerard Brannon had to testify at 7:00 p.m., when only four yawning congressmen were present in the committee room.

In addition, a new study of Mills' 1972 presidential campaign contributions show that of almost $250,000 known to have been contributed, some $50,000 came from donors connected with energy companies.

Gulf Oil, for example, gave him an illegal contribution of $15,000. Mills, when pressed, returned it.

Records show that C. H. Murphy of Murphy Oil and Edward M. Carey, New England Petroleum president, each gave him $5,000.

One of the men favored with a prime time appearance before Mills' committee was Emilio Colado, executive vice president of Standard Oil of New Jersey, who sweetened Mills' campaign with $500.

FOOTNOTE: The oil executives, and their trade group, the American Petroleum Institute, swear that oil profits are not too high and insist they pay a fair share of taxes.

Firemen battle storage shed fire

Sikeston firemen David Taylor, left; Jim Haley, on ladder; and Robert Bean were part of the firefighting crew that contained a fire in a small storage shed at 315 Luther St. this morning. Firemen were called to the address at 5:35 a.m. when the building caught fire, possibly from trash burning in a nearby trash barrel.

(Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

Crime prevention week

Store ladders inside

Homeowners can keep themselves safe from burglars by storing ladders inside, the Sikeston police department suggests as part of a public information service during Crime Prevention Week.

Ladders should not be left loose outside and, if left outside, should be locked securely. Further protection can be achieved by suggesting that neighbors follow this rule, also.

Articles, such as bicycles or lawn mowers, should not be left on sidewalks, lawn, porch or other easily accessible areas.

Residents should also be alert for unusual activities. If an unknown person is seen loitering around a neighbor's yard, residents should not be afraid to check their identity with the neighbor by phone.

The police department suggests that whether at home or away, garage doors should be kept closed. Open and empty garages usually indicate an empty home and often allows easy access to a cellar or entryway, unseen from the street.

When working in the attic or cellar or any place away from the main area of the house, all doors should be locked.

When leaving, or retiring at night, secure all entrances including cellar doors, windows, garage doors, sun deck and porch doors.

Patio doors should also be secured. They should lock from the inside, but a strip of wood placed into the inside track also will prevent sliding the door open from outside.

Lights can be used effectively to prevent or discourage burglars, the police department reports. When going out, several lights, in different parts of the house, should be left burning. Outside entrance lights and post lights will illuminate possible hiding places around the house.

Effective window locks are another necessity in preventing crime. A safe and unobstrusive lock can be made by drilling through the top of the bottom window sash and the bottom of the top sash and inserting a small nail in the hole.

Homeowners should also vary their routine. If the same routine is followed week after week, a wouldbe burglar may watch movements and know when the house is likely to be empty.

Hialeah's two major stakes during the Florida racing season will be the Widener Handicap on March 23 and the Flamingo on March 30.

Matthews man re-elected council head

NEW MADRID — Dale Geske of Matthews was re-elected chairman of the New Madrid County University of Missouri Extension Council Monday.

Also re- elected were Charles Beis of Portageville, vice chairman, George Dawson of New Madrid, treasurer. Clyde Hawes was elected secretary.

Geske and Hawes were re-elected to two- year terms on the council, along with three new members, Mrs. Ruth Ellen Gee of Lilbourn Route One, Alan Littell of Gideon and Francis Hulshof of Portageville Route One.

Other members presently serving are Mrs. Wilbert Lueker of Catron, Mrs. Nelson Lumsden of Canalou, Mrs. Johnny McWilliams of Lilbourn, C. G. Scott Jr. of Sikeston and Earl Dell of Gideon.

Appointees from four organizations designated for membership by state statute were also certified as members of the council, including Beis, Missouri Farmers Association; Dawson, city of New Madrid; Jerry McGee of Portageville, Farm Bureau; and Raymond Ashley of Catron, County Court.

Council meetings will be held the second Monday of every month, beginning in April. The officers will meet during months the council does not meet.

BARBS

By PHIL PASTORET

A good six-shooter can often clean-up in a dice game.

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Pioneering, '73 style: suffering through a day when the air conditioner is on the blink.

Renovation plan gets tentative approval

DEXTER — A renovation plan to bring the old Dexter water plant up to specifications of the Missouri Clean Water Commission was given tentative approval by the City Council Monday night at a special meeting.

The council voted to approve the preparation of a study and work program for renovation of the water plant, located on Clements Street in east Dexter.

Mayor Willis Conner said the program, when finally completed, is likely to cost approximately $100,000. He said he felt the city could meet this cost out of current funds with no increase in taxes and no bond issue.

The council approved the making of a study and work program by C. R. Trotter and Associates, after engineer Terry Howes explained the problems at the old water plant.

Treatment of the back wash discharge at the water treatment plant will be one of the main projects in the plan, officials said.

The Missouri Clean Water Commission has inspected the plant here for the past several months and has insisted that the improvements and renovations be made, Conner pointed out. The plant has been under study for months, and the renovation program has been expected for two or three years, it was pointed out.

Work is nearing completion on the new water plant and any work on the old water plant will await completion of the new one, it was pointed out.

Ordinance authorizes issuance of revenue

MALDEN — The City Council Monday night passed an ordinance to authorize the issuance $970,000 worth of revenue to pay the balance of the cost of purchasing and installing two dual fuel diesel generators complete with accessories, switch gears and electrical and mechanical installation.

The bond issue was approved by voters in a special election on Jan. 8.

Voters registration will be conducted at the city hall Feb. 22 and Feb. 23, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., for residents of the city of Malden and Cotton Hill township.

Negotiations are in progress for the purchase of property on Highway 62 East to be used as a future site for a new fire station and housing for the city's ambulance.

The city received only one bid on remodeling work in the council room at the city hall. Council members postponed action until the next meeting to allow time to receive additional bids.

5 accident injuries treated

Five accident patients were treated Tuesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Alice Scally, 26, Sikeston, cut right wrist on storm door; Everett Russell, 3, Blodgett, cut forehead while playing; Tommie Hefner, 52, Sikeston, fractured left hip in fall while trimming tree; Frances Green, 47, Sikeston, cut left index finger on kitchen knife; and Mary Lewis, 66, Lilbourn, fractured left hip in fall.

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English Mountain Cut GREEN BEANS 4 303 Can 88c
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Ballard BISCUITS 6 Pack 88c
Wagner ORANGE DRINK 3 For $1.00
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WADE
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Maxpac COFFEE Lb Can
Reelfoot Corn Valley Pure PORK SAUSAGE Lb 88c
Krey CHILI With Beans 300 Can 45c
Morrell All Meat BOLOGNA Lb 88c
Fireside CRACKERS Lb Box 49c
Washington Delicious APPLES 3 For 33c
COCA COLA 3 32 Oz Bottles Plus Deposit 88c
25¢ Coupon Inside Instant Sanka COFFEE 8 Oz Reg. $2.99 $1.99 Savings 45¢
Reelfoot ALL MEAT WEINERS Pkg 69c
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Ann Landers

Only solution to nagging mate is to play deaf to criticisms

Dear Ann Landers: My husband is a nag. I can't fold a newspaper to suit him. The way I put dishes in the dishwasher is "dumb." I don't brush my teeth long enough. (How long is long enough?) If I forget where I put something he hints that I am losing my mind.

I try to live up to Mr. Perfection's standards but it's impossible. If he ever gave me a compliment I'd die of shock. People generally think of women as naggers, but no woman ever lived who nagged like this man. What causes him to be so super- critical? What can I do to keep his put- downs from getting to me?-- Chewed Out

Dear Chewed: Mr. Perfection's momma probably chewed him out daily and now he's doing it to you. (It's called "transference" in couch language.)

Life with a constant critic is like being nibbled to death by a duck. There's only one way to protect yourself. Play deaf.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a bank employe who would like to comment on "S.C's Secret Bank Account." You suggested that the wife who discovered the "strange" deposit slip in her husband's wallet should hand it to him and say, "How nice that you wanted to surprise me with a little nest egg." I don't agree.

I know several people who have secret bank accounts. The reasons are often legitimate. Sometimes the husband (or wife) is a compuslive spender, or an alcoholic. The stable member of the family may feel the need to squirrel away money for emergencies.

If a husband or wife wants a secret bank account, he will have one. In the case of the woman who wrote, her husband, upon being discovered, would probably open another bank account elsewhere under a fictitious name. If he should die suddenly, the account would be turned over to the government and the wife wouldn't even know about it.

Every bank has untraceable dormant accounts because some customers wanted to keep their banking affairs a secret. I feel sorry for their families.-- Toronto M. P.

Dear Toronto: I bow to your experience and superior judgment. From now on, girls, if you find a deposit slip for a "secret bank account," jot down the name of the bank and keep your trap shut.

Dear Ann Landers: J. and I are both in our mid- 20s and very much in love. Recently a friend of ours needed a blood transfusion. J. and I both went to the hospital to donate blood. We learned that my blood type is O negative and J.'s is B positive. J.'s grandmother is a registered nurse, now retired. She says if we have children they won't survive.

We love children, but we wouldn't adopt. There have been unfortunate incidents in both our families with adopted children. Say what you will about environment, genes play a very big part in behavioral patterns of children.

Please check with your medical consultants and let me know if what J.'s grandmother says is correct.--- Crossed Fingers In Tucson

Dear C.F.: The combination of blood types you describe could produce children with serious blood problems. In the olden days they were called "blue babies" and they died. Today, however, when the doctor knows in advance that the about- to- be- born baby has this blood problem, he can be transfused at birth and live a normal, healthy life.

Even if drinking is the "in" thing in your crowd, it needn't crowd you out. Learn the facts from Ann Landers's booklet, "Booze and You-- For Teen-Agers Only." Send 35c in coin and a long, self- addressed, stamped envelope to Ann Landers, P. O. Box 3346, Chicago, Illinois 60654.

Make a mixture for meat patties from ground beef, soft bread crumbs, egg and finely grated onion; add a little dry red wine instead of the usual milk or water for the liquid.

Delta Gamma valentine queen chosen

Mrs. Paula Huckaba, seated, of 102 Comstock Place was selected valentine queen of Beta Sigma Phi Delta Gamma Chapter Saturday night at the sorority's valentine dance. The dance was given at Holiday Inn by Delta Gamma and Xi Zeta Alpha chapters. Witnessing the coronation, from left, are Greg Comer; Judy Comer, last year's queen; and Dennis Huckaba.

IT'S NOT CORAL, IT'S AN INNERTUBE

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — More than a half-million scrap tires were banded into bundles and dropped in the ocean this year to build artificial reefs off the nation's coasts, according to the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., which provided scrap tires and tire compacting machinery for the projects.

The reefs are now providing havens for numerous species of fish.

HOSPITAL NOTES

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL
CENSUS REPORT 2-13-74

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	121	118	3	0
Pediatrics	23	18	0	5
Obstetrics	14	12	0	2
Intensive Care	7	3	1	3

Patients scheduled for admission today: 13

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY:

Released:
Jamie Harris, Bell City
Eva Bilderback, Sikeston
George M. Nelson, Sikeston
Con L. McArthur, Morley
Robert V. Clark, Malden
Eules C. Ray, East Prairie
Michael Griffin, Bell City
Mae Johnson, Bell City
Connie McClendon, Charleston
Karen D. Benson, Wyatt
Mary L. Blankenship, Parma
Marshall L. Manker, Charleston
Harry L. Robinette, Sikeston
Mrs. Carolyn Day and baby boy, East Prairie
Naomi N. Whitney, Charleston
Marlene D. Duncan, Sikeston
James M. Manker, Charleston
Mrs. Inez Bradley and baby boy, East Prairie
Lloyd Merick, Sikeston

Totals patients discharged	22
Total patients admitted	25
Births	3

EMERGENCY DEPT.

Accident patients	5
Medical patients	20
Others	10
Total patients seen in the Emergency room	35

CHAFFEE GENERAL:
Admitted:
Charles Campbell, Van Buren
Walter Eggimann Chaffee
Loraine Halter, Chaffee
Patricia Hempstead, Cape Girardeau
Bleinda Lutz, Charleston
Paul Simmons, Oran
Mary Jo Pfefferkorn, Chaffee
Released:
Stella Carroll, Chaffee
Paul Montgomery, Chaffee
Inez Phelps, Cape Girardeau
Zelma Senciboy, Chaffee

DEXTER MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
Jeannie Williams, Bloomfield
Charlie Jones, Charleston
Milton Johnson, Dexter
Bobby Maupin, Bloomfield
Ola Holt, Parma
Dorothy Riddle, Dexter
Wanda Chadwell, Dexter
James Pullum, Essex
Charles Bess, Bloomfield
Michael Barbour, Dexter
Released:
Connie Hodge, Dexter
Barbara Landers, Canalou
Jeannie Williams, Bloomfield
Veronica Raney, Malden

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
Sheila Britton, Caruthersville
Maxine Bradley, Caruthersville
Lula Holland, Caruthersville
Roscoe Eslick, Caruthersville
Paul Hunthouser, Caruthersville
Mattie Brock, Caruthersville
Bill Wrightwell, Caruthersville
Ola Sikes, Portageville
Lacretia Grissom, Portageville
Joana Stewart, Portageville
Mary Malleck, Steele
Ula Barker, Wardell
Roscoe Dorris, Holland
Dorothy Grant, New Madrid
Released:
Grace Wheeler, Caruthersville
James Austin, Caruthersville
Louise Moore, Caruthersville
Vera Barham, Caruthersville
Shirley Grant, Caruthersville
Ula King, Caruthersville
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Community Calendar

TUESDAY
Newcomers Club will meet at 7 p.m. in front of Osco Drug in Kingsway Plaza Mall. The group will leave at 7:15 for a tour of Murray Lane Ceramics.

TUESDAY
Ladies American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 7 p.m. at the Heritage House.

THURSDAY
Sikeston Chapter No. 137, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple on South Kingshighway.

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Tau chapter chooses valentine queen

Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority crowned Myrtle Nunnelee, left, valentine queen at its annual valentine banquet Saturday at Ramada Inn. She was crowned by Martha Patterson, retiring queen. Nadine Collins, right, was presented roses and a charm as chapter sweetheart for 1974.

Tau has valentine banquet

Tau chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held its annual valentine banquet Saturday at Ramada Inn with husbands as guests.

Tables were decorated with a valentine motif and were centered with the queen and sweetheart thrones.

Nina Marshall of Charleston presented a musical program and was accompanied by Kathy Dawkins at the piano.

Myrtle Nunnelee was crowned valentine queen by Martha Patterson, retiring queen, and Nadine Collins was presented roses and a charm as chapter sweetheart for 1974. Mrs. Marshall sang sweetheart music in honor of the new queen and sweetheart.

Marla Collins will marry David Whitener

FLAT RIVER — Mr. and Mrs. George Collins announce the engagement of their daughter Marla Susanne to David Lee Whitener, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whitener of Bismarck.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Springs Jr. of Sikeston Route One and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins of Bell City Route One.

Miss Collins is a senior at Central High School in Flat River. Davis, a 1970 graduate of Bismarck High School, is employed by Hanna Mining Co. in Pilot Knob.

A June 22 wedding is planned.

Marla Collins

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Miss Burke to marry

CHARLESTON — Mr. and Mrs. Jackson L. Burke announce the engagement of their daughter Mary Lee to Paul Edward Vivian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl E. Vivian of Florissant.

Miss Burke is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evin Burke of Sikeston and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Swank of Charleston.

She graduated as valedictorian of Charleston High School in 1971 and is a junior at Central Methodist College in Fayette.

Vivian, a 1969 graduate of McCluer High School in Florissant, graduated from Central Methodist College in Fayette in 1973 and is presently doing graduate work in economics at University of Missouri - Columbia.

The wedding will be solemnized Aug. 3 in the Charleston United Methodist Church.

Mary Lee Burke

New program offers 'midwife' degree

By MARIA BRADEN
Associated Press Writer

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — The University of Kentucky College of Nursing is offering a new program to train nurse midwives.

"There's a nationwide interest in Midwifery," said Elizabeth M. Bear, program co-ordinator. "We already have a stack of inquiries and we get more every day."

The new program, to begin next semester, will lead to a bachelor's and a master's degree in nurse midwifery. The master's degree program is the only one in the state.

Miss Bear said the courses are being offered in response to a growing demand, but that it's hard to pinpoint the reasons for the renewed interest in midwifery.

"It may be the result of the women's movement," she said. "Women want to know more about their bodies and they want to participate in the delivery."

"The nurse midwife has a one-to-one relationship with the mother," Miss Bear said. "She stays with her throughout the delivery, provides followup care for the next few days, and helps establish the family unit."

Women want that kind of relationship, and often have too little time with their physician during pregnancy, she said.

"They have a million questions they want to ask, but when they get to see the doctor he may be rushed," she said. "They feel they're taking his time and all the questions they wanted to ask fly out the window."

Another factor is the relative cost of a nurse midwife, which is a lot less expensive than an obstetrician, Miss Bear said.

Nurse midwives do not practice independently after certification, but within the framework of a health service of some kind, whether urban or rural, she said.

The nurse midwife sees the pregnant woman with a physician present on the first visit. But unless complications occur a woman may not have to see the physician again.

The midwife is trained to do a complete physical and mental assessment of the woman. As long as progress is normal, she cares for the woman throughout pregnancy and stays with her throughout labor.

She also learns to spot deviations from the normal, to apply emergency measures if required — and then calls in a physician.

"There are times when we're awfully grateful for such medical backup," Miss Bear said, adding that from 90 to 95 per cent of deliveries are normal.

Misconceptions persist about midwifery, with some states still prohibiting nurse midwives from practicing.

"Although most babies in the world are delivered by midwives, the nurse midwife is not yet totally accepted in the United States," Miss Bear said.

A handful of institutions across the country now offer training in nurse midwifery, but the number of programs is increasing rapidly.

Even in California, where the practice of midwifery is illegal, programs are being established to help fill the market for midwives in other states.

"A phenomenal number of jobs are open for nurse midwives that are going begging," Miss Bear said.

In Kentucky the only program leading to certification of nurse midwives has been the Frontier Nursing Service at Hyden, established in the 1920's as the first of its kind in the nation.

Miss Bear, who spent several years working with the Frontier Nursing Service, said the graduate program at the University of Kentucky has been approved and four students will be admitted next spring. The program leading to a bachelor degree in midwifery is still before the Committee on Higher Education, but Miss Bear expects it to be approved.

A key problem in setting up nurse midwife programs is getting trained personnel to teach the courses. Another problem is the lack of clinical facilities, she said.

"That's why we're seeking affiliation with the (Frontier) Nursing Service and with Ireland Army Hospital at Ft. Knox," Miss Bear said.

Other facilities in the state have expressed an interest in establishing similar clinical training units, with UK as the degree-granting institute, she said.

Sorority queen and sweetheart chosen

Xi Epsilon Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi chose Mrs. Meredith Lee, second from left, as valentine queen and Mrs. Bryan McCord, second from right, as chapter sweetheart at a party Saturday night at El Capri Restaurant. Mrs. Steve Bell, left, and Mrs. Ben Chambers, right, retiring chapter sweetheart, the retiring queen, flank the newly crowned valentine officials.

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BIRTHS

DAVIS --Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis of Granite City, Ill., formerly of Sikeston, are parents of their first child, a daughter, born at 3:18 p.m. Jan. 29 in Christian Hospital at St. Louis. The girl weighed five pounds 12 ounces and has been named Heather Jeanette.

Mrs. Davis is the former Barbara Walker, daughter of C.R. Walker of 614 Dorothy, St. Sikeston, and Mrs. Ruby Maas of California. Davis is the son of Robert Davis of Granite City and Mrs. Robert McNail of Centerville, former Sikeston residents. He is employed by a railroad in Illinois.

FODGE --Mr. and Mrs. Michael Fodge of Benton are parents of their first child, a son, born at 12:45 p.m. Feb. 5 in Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. The boy weighed eight pounds one and one -half ounces and has been named Cory Michael.

Mrs. Fodge is the former Dorothy Jean Hennemann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hennemann of Benton. Fodge, a warehouseman for Jim Wilson Co., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fodge of Benton.

CUNNINGHAM-- Mr. and Mrs. Alan Cunningham of Sikeston are parents of their first child, a daughter born Feb. 5 at 7:54 a.m. in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau. The girl has been named Ashlie Darra and weighed six pounds one ounce at birth.

Mrs. Cunningham is the former Elizabeth Ann Thornton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Thornton of Bloomfield. Cunningham, a farmer, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cunningham of Dudley.

KATSALIROS --Mr. and Mrs. Pete Katsaliros of Sikeston are parents of their first child, a son born Thursday at 4:37 p.m. in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau. The boy weighed five pounds three ounces and has been named Bob.

Mrs. Katsaliros is the former Thelma Pashakis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pashakis of Greece. Katsaliros is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Katsaliros of Sikeston and is employed by Grecian Steak House.

SURPLUS SALMON EGGS TO KOREA

WASHINGTON (AP) — West Coast salmon eggs are being shipped by the million to Korea to establish a salmon fishery if possible in that country. The eggs are surplus from national and state hatcheries in Oregon and Washington. The three million airfreighted in January arrived in good condition and will be hatched and reared for a year in two hatcheries there.

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Indians defense holds

EAST PRAIRIE — Coach Carroll Compton's defensive minded New Madrid High Indians put on a first quarter defensive show and held on for a 74-65 victory over the EPHS Eagles here Tuesday night.

New Madrid bolted into a 16-8 first quarter lead and then had to fight off numerous bids throughout the remainder of the game to preserve the victory.

Archie Boyd paced the Tribe's offense with 22 points and got 17 point assistance from Steve Glenn. Oscar Bradley scored 24 points for the Eagles top offensive effort.

East Prairie tipped off the night's hardwood action with a 58-50 junior varsity victory behind the 20 point leadership of Danny Johnson.

Scoring:

NEW MADRID (74)
Collins 8, Glenn 17, Boyd 22, Jackson 11, Syas 6, Tucker 4, Robinson 6. Totals: FG-32; FT-10; PF-16.

EAST PRAIRIE (65)
Bradley 24, Husk 12, Williford 9, Jones 6, Davenport 4, Dixon 8, Davis 2. Totals: FG-28; FT-9; PF-15.

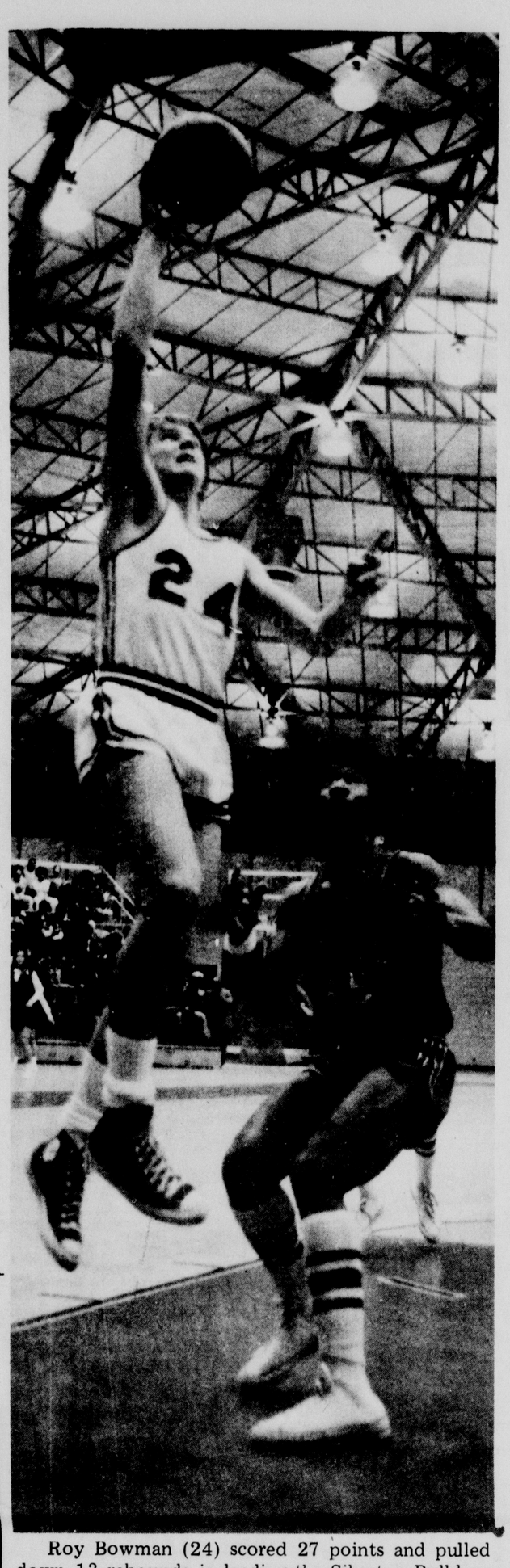
Score by Quarters:

New Madrid	16	23	17	18—74
E. Prairie	8	22	16	19—65

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The Louisiana Racing Commission has formally approved a 105day split racing season for Jefferson Downs in Kenner. The new dates are April 10-July 6 and Sept. 30-Nov. 23.

A 105-day season is the maximum allowed under state law. Last August the commission denied a Jefferson Downs request for a longer and solid season.

WILMINGTON, Del. (AP) — People who only saw the score of Mt. Pleasant's 6-2 victory over Dickinson on Tuesday night might have thought it was an early baseball game.



Roy Bowman (24) scored 27 points and pulled down 13 rebounds in leading the Sikeston Bulldogs to a 96-65 romp of the Richland Rebels Tuesday night.

Dogs set record

Will the real Sikeston Bulldogs please stand up? After some embarrassing moments in their first sixteen games this season, SHS turned it all around the past two games and Tuesday night did some embarrassing of their own, establishing a SHS fieldhouse scoring record while walloping Richland's Rebels 96-65. The total was the highest scored by a Sikeston team since 1968 and bettered by six the previous fieldhouse mark held by Collierville, Tennessee. The win was Sikeston's second in a row, the first time the Bulldogs have been able to couple wins this year, and gave them a record of seven wins and 11 losses.

All ten players who dressed got to play in the game, and all ten scored for the rampaging home team. Bolstered by one of the best crowds of the year, the Bulldogs made their last home game a good one by dropping Richland's mark to 11-10 rather emphatically.

Sikeston never trailed in the contest and, after the first bucket by Ray Bowman, the two squads were never tied, although the scrappy Rebs did stay close for most of the first quarter. Narrowing the margin to two points, 12-10, on a Ken Cain layup, the Rebels looked to be ready to make a move on Sikeston. But, led by Ron Marks' passing and the Big Three of Roger Tillman, Roy Bowman and Mark Eaves on the boards, Sikeston scored six quick points to end the quarter with an 18-12 lead.

Starting with the second quarter, Sikeston began to play together as they hadn't before all year. Roger "High-rise" Tillman was tough inside and Roy Bowman was hot outside and Sikeston started to pull away, leading by fourteen at half, 42-28. A huge edge on the boards was a big factor in the Sikeston lead, as well as the 26 points that Bowman and Tillman had combined to score.

Ron Marks, who totaled eight assists in the first half, changed his game plan in the final half and handled the bulk of the scoring, marking up 20 of his 26 game points. Bowman nipped Marks by a free throw for the team leadership in points, scoring 27 despite sitting out more than a quarter of action. Tillman used his height and fine jumping ability to dominate inside scoring and total 18 points. Six-foot-1 senior Ken Cain led all scorers with 29 points and was the top Richland rebounder with 13.

Again in the third period and throughout the second half the rebounds made the difference in the score. SHS shot nearly 66 percent in the second half and they cleaned the defensive boards, Richland rarely got more than one try at the bucket. Capturing 27 of the 39 second half rebounds gave Sikeston their 55-25 game edge on the boards.

Led by the hot hand of Ron Marks and some very fine play by the reserves that got to play, Sikeston continued to add to their lead in the third period, building it to 25 points, 67-42.

With mostly reserves playing in the fourth period, Sikeston started out shaky. Halfway through the frame the visitors had cut the difference to eighteen points at 81-63. A press was effective for the eventual losers as Sikeston turned the ball over eight times in the frame, something they did only 17 times in the game. However, helped by the big, enthusiastic crowd and settled down by the one or two older players who remained on the court, the younger players also settled down and started to use a press of their own. Several late steals enabled Sikeston to almost break the century mark before the games close.

Teamwork was the name of the game for Sikeston. Using unselfish passing by Marks, Bowman and West and the overpowering rebounding against the Rebels, Sikeston won by their largest margin all year. Hitting 47 of 85 floor shots, Sikeston's 55.3 percentage was by far their greatest of the year. Meanwhile, the visitors were off in their shooting. Twenty- nine of their 83 floor shots were good for a 35 percent mark. In contrast to recent games, only 19 free throws were shot in the contest. Sikeston connected on two of five, as RHS was called for just eight fouls. Richland was good on seven of their 14 tries.

Led by Roy Bowman's 15 grabs and Mark Eaves' 11, Sikeston was able to chalk up their highest rebound total of the year. Tillman also got eight and Marks and West both collared six. Richland had 19 turnovers and Sikeston had 17, although they had turned the ball over only nine times entering that last quarter.

Are the Bulldogs making another late season charge? Or, is it just that no one else ever plays well at the fieldhouse. Well, the quintet will have a good opportunity to prove their stature with two tough games on the road next week, first at Blytheville, Arkansas, then at Cape Central. If they receive the support they have gotten in recent games, and if they truly "have got their stuff together," they could at least have a hand in who advances out of the Southeast Missouri regional at Cape's Houck fieldhouse. If not, the playesrs will have to shoulder most of the blame. Because, when they have played together this year, they have proved against good teams and others that they have the ability to win. When they didn't ...

RICHLAND (65)	FG	FT	PT	RB	PF	TO
Stanley Hueckel	2/ 5	0/ 0	4	1	1	1
Roberrt Hesteer	5/16	1/ 2	11	3	4	6
Glen Clark	3/ 5	0/ 1	6	4	1	1
David Noyes	4/ 8	0/ 0	8	1	0	1
James Farr	0/ 0	1/ 2	1	0	0	2
Randy Russell	0/ 1	0/ 0	0	0	0	0
Albert Brock	2/18	2/ 3	6	3	0	4
Ken Cain	13/30	3/ 6	29	13	2	4
	29/83	7/14	65	25	8	19
	(34.9)	(50.0)				

SIKESTON (96)	FG	FT	PT	RB	PF	TO
Roger Tillman	9/19	0/ 2	18	8	3	3
Vangalee West	2/ 8	0/ 0	4	6	3	3
Ronald Marks	13/22	0/ 0	26	6	1	2
Mark Eaves	3/ 5	0/ 0	6	11	3	0
Roy Bowman	13/20	1/ 1	27	15	1	1
Steve Jones	1/ 2	0/ 0	2	1	1	0
Bruce Lawrence	1/ 2	1/ 2	3	1	0	3
Donny Taylor	2/ 3	0/ 0	4	4	1	0
Rick Eisenbach	1/ 1	0/ 0	2	2	0	4
Ed Nunnelee	2/ 3	0/ 0	4	1	2	1
	47/85	2/ 7	96	55	15	17
	(55.3)	(28.6)				

Score by Quarters

Sikeston	18	24	25	29—96
Richland	12	16	14	23—65

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — A mandatory horsepower limit will be put on boats competing in the Bass Anglers Sportsman Society's fishing tournaments next year.

BASS President Ray Scott said the new rule is being made to promote boat safety as well as to conserve gasoline. "The way it is now," he said, "many rigs are just an accident looking for a place to happen."

Scott said the new rule will require all boats to stick to the rated capacity determined for various size boats by the Coast Guard.

Sophomore leads NPHS

ARBYRD--- Sophomore Jerry Stewart pumped in 24 points in leading the NPHS Mustangs past Southland 84-68 here Tuesday night.

The Mustangs are rated sixth in The Daily Standard poll this week.

After a tight first period in which the Mustangs came out two points ahead 19- 17 NPHS began to stretch their lead and were ahead 42- 34 at the half.

The Rebels could never manage to get into the ball from the second quarter on as the Mustangs defense was too much.

Southland scored 17 points in each of the four quarters. Gregg Gibson hit 23 for the Rebels.

NPHS took the B game 66- 24 with Robert Blackman hitting 20 and Dement hit 10 for Southland.

SCORING:

N. PEMISCOT (84)
Reedus 16, Hursey 12, Norris 14, Jerry Stuart 24, Jennings 16, Dunbar 2. Totals: FG— 39; FT— 6; PF— 15

SOUTHLAND (68)
Gregg Gibson 23, Summitt 18, Branch 11, Forbs 8, Blakenship 8. Totals: FG— 27; FT— 14; PF— 15

Score By Quarters:

North	19	23	18	24—84
Southland	17	17	17	17—68

Cincinnati Reds' President Bob Howsman has been named Cincinnati's 1973 Ambassador by the Cincinnati Convention and Visitors Bureau.

The award was made Tuesday in recognition of the Reds' ability to focus international attention on Cincinnati. The baseball team won the National League pennant in 1970 and 1972 and the Western Division title in 1973.

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Green Wave cover PHS

PUXICO — The Malden Green Wave continued to rip the nets with their shooting power as coach Jim Orr's team raced past the PHS Indians 82-68 here Tuesday night. The Malden team is ranked 10th in The Daily Standard poll and the Indians are out this week after having been up and down in the top ten all season.

Puxico, playing without the services of Will Smith, out with an injury jumped out to a 17-12 first quarter lead as coach Pete Townsend's team stymied the vaunted Malden offensive.

The Green Wave began to warm up in the second period and shot even with the Indians 18-18 as the home team Indians led 35-30 at the intermission.

It would have been better for the Puxico team if the game had been over at that point as the Wave began to roll in the second half scoring 24 points in the third period and 28 in the fourth to 12 for Puxico in the third and 21 in the fourth.

Jim Robinson and Carl Townsend teamed for 54 of the Green Wave's 82 points with 30 and 24 respectively. Red Smith led the Indians with 20. Malden won the B game 50-37 with Porter hitting 12 and Roger Martin hit 12 for Puxico.

Scoring:

MALDEN (82)
Jim Robinson 30, Townsend 24, Smith 10, Thompson 8, Triplet 6, Scherrod 4. Totals: FG-38; FT-6; PF-18

PUXICO (68)
Red Smith 20, Hancock 18, Davis 10, Caldwell 9, Walters 7, Reed 2, Rasor 2. Totals: FG-28; FT-12; PF-13

Score By Quarters:

Malden	12 18 24 28 82
Puxico	17 18 12 21 68

ITHACA, N.Y. (AP) — Cornell University coeds have won access to the school's formerly all-male physical education facilities.

The decision by the Cornell administration came after two students, Jane Danowitz and Laurie Zelon, initiated charges of sexual discrimination within the university's judicial system. The case was dropped when the decision to open the facilities was made.

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Sikeston rallies

By DALE FORBIS

Sikeston's junior varsity team proved its mettle in the second half Tuesday night at home against Richland. By virtue of a 57- 44 win over the visiting Richland Rebels, the Bullpups increased their season's record to an impressive 14- 2.

Led by a 6- foot- 2 sophomore Jim Clay, who ended the contest with 21 points, Richland jumped in front and led most of the first half. The Bulldogs looked sluggish and made several turnovers as they trailed by seven after the first quarter, 17- 10. Then, the visitors added a point to their advantage and led by eight at half, 31- 23.

However, the second half was a completely different story. Spurred on by an enthusiastic crowd, the Pups used an overpowering press to stifle the Rebel offense and enable them to outscore the visitors 34- 13 to romp to the win.

The two teams played on fairly even terms for most of the third period, but at its end Richland bunched several turnovers together and Sikeston took advantage to narrow the gap to one entering the last quarter. Then, the Bulldogs completely took over the game, outscored Richland 20- 5 and won going away.

Leading the Sikeston offense was 6- foot- 2 Hal Presley with 15 points. Mike Bohannon followed him with 13 and Harold Dockins added 12.

The rousing win erased somewhat the unpleasant memories of last Saturday's disappointing 66- 62 overtime loss in the finals of the Sikeston invitational junior varsity tournament. It also gave them a boost going into next Tuesday night's game against Blytheville, probably the toughest opponent they have faced all year. Sikeston won the first matchup and Blytheville will have revenge in mind.

RICHLAND (44)
Clay 21, Patterson 8, Moore 12, Chapin 2, Malloy 1. Totals: FG— 19; FT— 6 PF— 11

SIKESTON (57)
Luber 2, Presley 15, Bohann 13, Lawrence 7, Priday 2, Dockins 12, Nunnelee 2, Ziegenhorn 2, Minner 2. Totals: FG— 26; FT—5; PF— 16

Score by Quarters:

Richland	17 14 8 5—44
Sikeston	10 13 14 20—57

Smelser, Landers lead RHS victory

HOLCOMB--- Andy Smelser and Steve Landers teamed for 50 points scoring 26 and 24 respectively, as the Risco Tigers downed the Holcomb Hornets 72- 64 here Tuesday night.

Holcomb played with the Tigers throughout the game, but the Hornets inability to defense Smelser and Landers spelled their downfall.

Holcomb took a 15- 12 first period lead but saw the three point deficit fade away in the second quarter as Risco came back to take a 20- 14 advantage in the quarter and the Tigers led 32- 29 at the half.

The Tigers defense took hold in the last half and squelched the Hornet rally.

Jay Rollins and Dement led the Hornet offense with 22 and 19 points respectively.

Holcomb won the B game 47- 41 with Danny Burr hitting 17 and Johnson hit 16 for Risco.

SCORING:

RISCO (72)
Smelser 26, Landers 24, Cook 9, Patterson 5, Calvier 6, Coffer 2. Totals: FG— 31; FT— 10; PF— 12

HOLCOMB (64)
Rollins S 22, Collins 2, Tucker 4, Dement 19, Hughes 6, Robinson 4, Adams 5, Burger 2. Totals: FG— 29; FT— 6; PF— 17

Score By Quarters:

Risco	12 20 18 22—72
Holcomb	15 14 15 20—64

Pirates take Braves

MATTHEWS--- The mistake prone and poor shooting Scott County Central Braves dropped their game with the MHS Pirates here Tuesday night 83- 77.

The game was marked by poor shooting and ball handling by both clubs, but the Pirates were able to maintain a lead throughout the contest while the Braves managed to get to within two points with two minutes left to play, but thrown away balls and missed layups spelled defeat as the final result.

A cold shooting third period was the Braves downfall as Matthews took a 20- 12 advantage after trailing the Braves by one, 40- 39 at the half.

Matthews took a 22- 18 first period lead bu the Braves turned things around in the second quarter on some defensive lapses by the Pirates and outscored the Matthews team 22- 17.

After Matthews took the third period Scott Central battled back to within three midway through the period but too many turnovers brought on defeat.

Armond Porter played his usually fine game on defense and scored 24 points for the Bulldogs.

The Braves featured a balanced scoring attack with Otto Porter hitting 17, Kenny Bright 16, Danny Peet 19, and Robert Cook 13.

SCCHS won the B game with a smooth fast break offense 94- 61. "Albino" Thomas hit 22 for the Braves and Larry Robinson hit 21 for the Pirates.

SCORING:

MATTHEWS (83)
Armond Porter 24, Hardin 17, Parker 8, Latham 6, G. Kennedy 7, D. Kennedy 10, Baker 11. Totals: FG— 35; FT— 13; PF— 22

SCOTT CENTRAL (77)
Porter 17, Bright 16, Cook 13, McRoberts 8, Peet 19, Jackson 4. Totals: FG— 33; FT— 11; PF— 20

Score By Quarters:

Matthews	22 17 20 24—83
Scott Central	18 22 12 25—77

Black Cats nip Woodland

LUTESVILLE — The Fredericktown Black Cats came from behind to defeat the Woodland Cardinals 65-41 Tuesday night.

The Black Cats were down six points in the first quarter but a 15 point second quarter left them trailing by two at the half.

The Black Cat offense put in 18 points in the third quarter and their defense allowed only 11. Twenty eight points in the fourth quarter assured a Fredericktown victory as the game ended.

Fredericktown also won the Junior Varsity game 44-30. Tim Huffman set the pace for the jayvee Black Cats with 15 points.

Scoring:

FREDERICKTOWN (65)
Stan Sikes 19, Mike Steven 19, John Nations 15, Boyenger 11, Burke 1. Totals: FG-25; FT-15; PF-15

Woodland (41)
Black 12, Becker 10, Smith 6, Minson 5, D. Becker 4, M. Smith 2, G. Shrum 2. Totals: FG-18; FT-5; PF-20.

Score By Quarters:

Fredericktown	4 15 18 28 65
Woodland	10 8 11 12 41

Ed Dunning scored three points as his highly favored Mt. Plesant team defeated the Dickinson stall.

Panthers struggle

DEERING — Coach Randy Benson's Delta C-7 Chargers forced the Daily Standard's second ranked Lilbourn Panthers into overtime Tuesday night before losing, 74-71.

The steadily improving DC-7 cagers jumped out into a 10-8 lead in the first quarter, but lost that margin and trailed through the second and third quarters before putting on a late game rally to tie the game at 64-64 as the final buzzer sounded.

Balance was the key to the Chargers upset bid, as five players notched double figure marks. James Meade led the group with 19 and Jackie Ratliff added 17.

Claude McFarren hit 14 to pace the Panthers offense which included 16 by Carl Meadows, and 14 each by Ed Farr and Frankie Robinson.

Lilbourn's junior varsity tipped off the night with a 57-53 win behind the 16 point leadership of Detwell Treadwell.

Scoring:

LILBOURN (74)
Claude McFarren 17, Farr 14, Meadows 16, Robinson 14, E. McFarren 8, White 3, Treadwell 2. Totals: FG-30; FT-14; PF-22

DELTA C-7 (71)
Jackie Ratliff 17, Wilkerson 11, Guyton 11, Blankenship 11, Meade 19, Sanders 2. Totals: FG-28; FT-15; PF-22

Score By Quarters:

Lilbourn	8 19 18 19 10 74
Delta C-7	10 17 17 20 7 71

LOS ANGELES— The Los Angeles Sharks sent center Ron Ward to the Cleveland Crusaders for wingers Billy Young and Ted Hodgson in a World Hockey Association trade.

BASEBALL

OAKLAND— Jim "Catfish" Hunter of the Oakland Athletics signed his 1974 baseball contract for an estimated $100,000.

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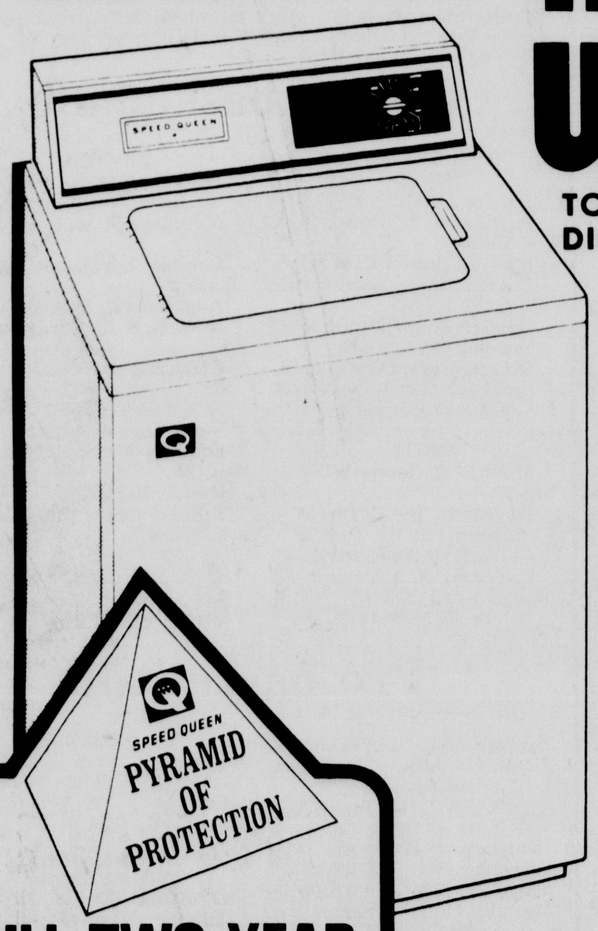

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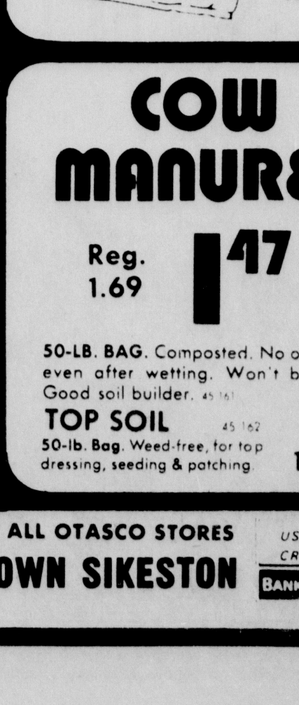

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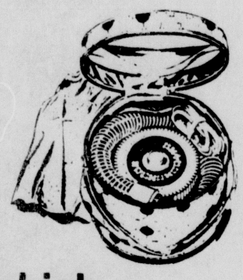

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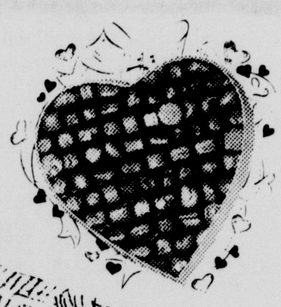

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TUESDAY'S RESULTS

Sikeston 96, Richland 65
Malden 82, Puxico 68
Kennett 75, Twin Rivers 53
Dexter 74, Bell City 56
Risco 72, Holcomb 64
Charleston 83, Parma 59
Lesterville 78, Valley 55
Notre Dame 82, Egyptian 71
Perryville 79, Ste. Genevieve 45
New Madrid 74, East Prairie 65
Gideon 51, Clarkton 45
Delta 65, Chaffee 50
Fredericktown 65, Woodland 41
Matthews 83, Scott Central 77
Senath- Hornersville 51, Portageville 48
North Pemiscot 84, Southland 68
Lilbourn 74, Delta C- 7 71 (OT)

WEDNESDAY'S SCHEDULE

Illmo- Scott City at Meadow Heights

Tigers run wild

NEELYVILLE — The Nellyville Tigers set a fast pace Friday night as they ran over the Ellsinore Redbirds 90-36.

Leon Johnson led the many scorers for Neelyville with 25 points. Danny Kirby was the only Redbird to reach the double figure mark with 16 points.

Keith Bowman scored 11 points to lead the Redbirds to a 38-30 win in the junior Varsity game. Hal Griffin was the top tiger with 11 points. Scoring:

NEELYVILLE (90)
Purdom 6, Robinson 6, Johnson 25, Hoggard 12, Walters 5, Haines 6, Whitehorn 6, L. Emmons, 4, Palley 12. Totals: FG 43; FT 4; PF 17.

ELLSINORE (36)
Robertson 8, Turner 7, Kirby 16, Allen 3, Combs 2. Totals: FG 14; FT 8; PF 11;

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State wide prep results

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Houston 61, Ava 46
K.C. Central 83, Van Horn 55
K.C. Lincoln 59, East 43
Raytown South 54, Oak Park 43
Raytown 54, Truman 52
North Kansas City 49, Center 47
Belton 45, Grandview 42
Fort Osage 56, Excelsior Springs 54
Southeast 73, Westport 49
Jefferson 53, Stanberry 47
Milan 61, Brookfield 57
Windsor 57, Warsaw 56
Galatin 95, South Harrison 44
Hale 88, Brekenridge 54
Kirksville 71, Moberly 54

Harrisonville 58, Pleasant Hill 50
Orrick 80, Concordia 69
St. Paul 60, University High (Warrensburg) 37
Warrensburg 46, Odessa 42
Sacred Heart 54, Holden 52
Slater 80, Tina-Avalon 66
Ashland 57, Sturgeon 50
Centralia 42, Macon 40
Monroe City 80, Higland 78
Glasgow 67, New Franklin 48
Salisbury 73, Paris 59
Keytesville 66, Cairo 62
Palmyra 62, Mark Twain 44
Fayette 65, Westran 58
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St. John's 62, Valley Park 50
Mercy 89, St. Mary's 63
Parkway Central 67, Oakville 65
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Union 50, Pacific 47
Wright City 67, St. Dominic 58
Jennings 55, Lafayette 52
Beaumont 82, King 69
Kinloch 92, Brentwood 66
Rosary 57, Kennedy 43

College basketball

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EAST

Hartford 85, Springfield 74
Providence 75, Brown 73, 2 overtimes
Mass. 77, Boston U. 60
Fairfield 82, St. Bonaventure 75
Harvard 72, Dartmouth 63
Brandeis 110, Clark 86
Gettysburg 65, Dickinson 58
Brockport St. 103, Buffalo 89
Canisius 73, Colgate 67

SOUTH

Marshall 63, George Washington 57
Furman 91, The Citadel 59
Richmond 90, Va. Tech 86
Covenant 80, Sewanee 75
Centenary 96, Athletes in Action 86
Del. St. 70, Norfolk St. 68

MIDWEST

Wittenberg 72, Heidelberg 51
So. Ill. 76, Stetson 67
Moorhead St. 69, Minn.-Morris 67
Chicago Loyola 104, Mo.-St. Louis 73
Augustana 88, Millikin 61
Israel 99, S. Ill.-Edwardsville 88
Colo. 65, Neb. 64

SOUTHWEST

Texas Tech 89, Ark. 83
Southern Methodist 70, Texas A&M 68
Rice 83, Baylor 76
Texas Christian 72, Texas 71, overtime

FAR WEST

Los Angeles Loyola 62, Pepperdine 39

Pro basketball

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East Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	37	22	.627	—
Kentucky	35	21	.625	½
Carolina	37	26	.587	2
Virginia	20	36	.357	15½
Memphis	13	46	.220	24

West Division

Utah	41	19	.683	—
San Antonio	31	31	.500	11
Denver	28	29	.491	11½
Indiana	29	31	.483	12
San Diego	26	36	.419	16

Tuesday's Games
Denver 125, Virginia 112
Utah 114, Indiana 91

Wednesday's Games
Virginia at New York
Carolina at Memphis
Kentucky at Denver
Indiana at San Diego

Thursday's Games
New York vs. Carolina at Charlotte
Kentucky at Utah
Indiana at San Antonio
Memphis vs. Virginia at Norfolk

Eastern Conference
Atlantic Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Boston	40	15	.727	—
New York	35	21	.593	7
Buffalo	30	31	.492	13
Philadelphia	18	40	.310	23½

Central Division

Capital	32	26	.552	—
Atlanta	27	34	.443	6½
Houston	23	38	.377	10½
Cleveland	20	43	.317	14½

Western Conference
Midwest Division

Milwaukee	43	15	.741	—
Chiiago	43	19	.694	2
Detroit	40	19	.678	3½
K.C.-Omaha	23	39	.371	22

Pacific Division

Golden St.	30	25	.545	—
Los Angeles	31	27	.534	½
Seattle	27	36	.429	7
Phoenix	22	37	.373	10
Portland	21	37	.362	10½

Tuesday's Games
New York 100, Buffalo 93
Chicago 93, Milwaukee 81
Detroit 113, Kansas City-Omaha 106
Capital 107, Cleveland 99
Houston 129, Los Angeles 119
Portland 113, Phoenix 104
Boston 107, Golden State 102

Wednesday's Games
Chicago at New York
Buffalo at Philadelphia
Kansas City-Omaha at Capital
Boston at Seattle

Thursday's Games
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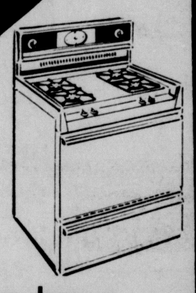

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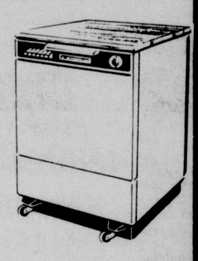

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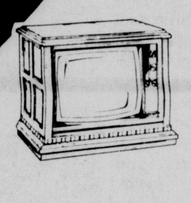

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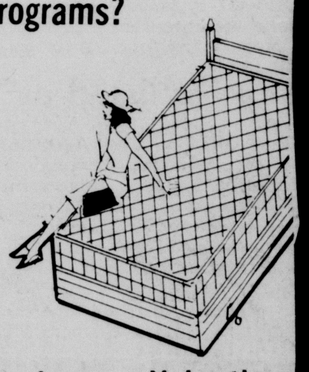

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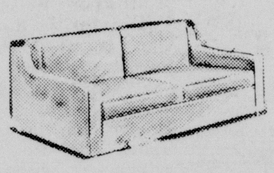

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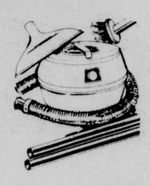

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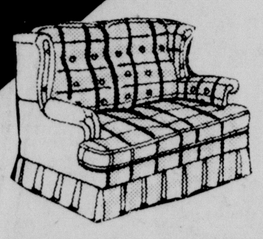

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'Laughing Policeman' is detective thriller

20th Century - Fox's "The Laughing Policeman", a detective thriller produced and directed by Stuart Rosenberg and starring Walter Matthau and Bruce Dern, premieres Friday at Mall Theatre in Kingsway Plaza Mall.

Based upon the "Edgar" award - winning Martin Beck detective novel by Swedish writers Per Wahloo and Maj Sjowall, the film is the story of the investigation of a mass murder aboard a bus.

The action has been transported from the novel's setting of Stockholm to San Francisco, where Rosenberg spent four months researching the homicide division of the police department. Although the film remains true to the novel, many of its events are based on actual incidents he observed.

Also featured in the cast are Lou Gossett, Cathy Lee Crosby, Anthony Zerbe, Val Avery, Mario Gallo, Joanna Cassidy, Albert Paulsen and members of the San Francisco homicide division.

There are over 75 speaking roles in "The Laughing Policeman" and hundreds of extras. Many of the smaller parts and those requiring particular backgrounds are played by actual professionals in the particular field.

For a scene in a general hospital trauma room, the actual doctors and nurses play themselves. Coroners and police ambulance drivers also play themselves. For a sniper scene requiring members of the Tactical Squad, the San Francisco TAC force played itself.

Thomas Rickman wrote the screenplay.

Matthau stars

Walter Matthau, as detective Jake Martin, heads the investigation of a mass murder in San Francisco in "The Laughing Policeman", a movie premiering Friday at Mall Theatre in Kingsway Plaza Mall. The 20th Century-Fox release co- starring Bruce Dern was produced and directed by Stuart Rosenberg.

Car dealers have good month

ST. LOUIS — St. Louis district Lincoln- Mercury dealers last month recorded their second-best January in new car sales, district manager Gordon Doherty announced today.

January sales of 1,795 units were below the previous record of 2,611 set in January 1973, but were three per cent higher than January 1972 and 29 per cent over the January 1971 figure, he said.

Two car lines, the all- new Cougar and the compact Comet showed notable sales increases over January 1973, Doherty pointed out. Cougar sales were up 44 per cent and Comet sales rose eight per cent.

The district serves 230 dealers in Missouri and portions of Illinois, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska.

Tanner listed as AAA garage

ST. LOUIS — The Auto Club of Missouri, serving territories in Missouri, Illinois and Kansas, has announced the appointment of Tanner Brothers Garage in Sikeston as a new official AAA garage.

Tanner Brothers Garage, 417 S. Main St., becomes one of a nationwide chain of more than 24,0000 AAA garages rendering service to some 15 million AAA members throughout the country.

Emergency road service is as close as the nearest telephone for Auto Club members in and about the Sikeston area.

Salesman honored

Major appliance salesman Roland Sparks, right, of the Sikeston Otasco store was honored by company officials for oustanding sales leadership at the company's annual banquet Sunday at the Peabody Hotel in Memphis, Tenn. In recognition of his achievement, Sparks was presented an award by district supervisor Elwood Young, left. The presentation was part of a day- long meeting at which store managers and employes heard the inside story of the company's most successful year plus a preview of new 1974 merchandise and plans.

Shoplifting discussed with employes

Sgt. Richard Couch discussed shoplifting and how to prevent it this morning with employes of Wal-Mart Discount City. Couch's talk was part of Crime Prevention Week observation. (Daily Standard photo by Ron Porter)

Ark. Mo. receives scouting award

BLYTHEVILLE, Ark. — Citing the companies' continuing support of area Boy Scout programs, the 14-county Southeast Missouri Council of Boy Scouts of America has named Arkansas - Missouri Power Co. and its Missouri subsidiary, Associated Natural Gas Co., recipients of its Patron Award.

The award was accepted by Frank G. Smith, Jr., president and chief executive officer of Ark-Mo and Associated.

The council, headquartered at Cape Girardeau, Mo., presents the Patron Award to persons and firms who make outstanding contributions to scouting, according to a council spokesman.

Smith received the award at Ark-Mo's main offices in Blytheville. It was presented by Charles Brown of Kennett and William Colston of Caruthersville.

Colston is chairman of the council's Seminole District in the lower Missouri Bootheel. Brown, a Kennett city councilman, is the district's finance chairman.

Ark-Mo and Associated employes not only are involved in scouting, the spokesman said, but the companies are regular financial supporters of Bootheel scouting programs.

Smith accepts award

Frank G. Smith Jr., right, of Blytheville, Ark., recently accepted scouting's Patron Award for his companies, Arkansas- Missouri Power Co. and Associated Natural Gas Co. Presenting the award for the Southeast Missouri Council of Boy Scouts of America were Charles Brown of Kennett, center, and William Colston of Caruthersville.

Double feature set at Malone

Malone Theatre, 107 W. Malone Ave., is now featuring "Funny Car Summer", in color and rated G (general audience).

A double feature of "Hercules" and "Hercules Unchained" will begin Friday at the Malone. Both movies are rated G.

Barbara Striesand and Robert Redford star in "The Way We Were", now playing at Malco Twin Cinema I in Midtowner Village Shopping Center, for the third week. The film is rated PG (parental guidance advised).

"Ash Wednesday", starring Elizabeth Taylor and Henry Fonda and rated R (persons under the age of 17 not admitted without parents' consent), is now showing at Malco Twin Cinema II.

The filn The Seven Ups", rated PG, starts Friday at Malco Twin II.

"The Paper Chase", starring Timothy Bottoms and rated PG, ends Thursday at Mall Theatre in Kingsway Plaza Mall.

"The Laughing Policeman" begins Friday at Mall Theatre. It is rated R.

Lorenz attends special seminar

Dwayne Lorenz of Sikeston was one of 70 Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. agents from Illinois, Kansas and Missouri who attended a special advanced seminar last week in Columbia.

The seminar provided experienced agents with training in recent developments in special fields of advanced underwriting work. It covered the use of life insurance in business and estate planning.

Heath passes CPA examination

Wayne D. Heath has been notified by the Missouri State Board of Accountacy that he has passed the uniform certified public accountant's examination.

An employee of the firm of Berry, Patmore & Co., 805 N. Main St., Heath is a 1968 graduate of Burdett College in Boston, Mass.

He is married to the former Mary Ann Smith of Bell City and lives on Westport Drive in Dexter.

Final winners named

Merle Keefer, center, manager of Kingsway Furniture, presents Mr. and Mrs. Howard Landers, 308 Selma St., a new mattress and box springs, the prize in the final drawing held in connection with grand opening activities at the new store at 916 S. Kingshighway.

Focus on Business

Moore cited for proficiency

Robert L. Moore of Sikeston, a local representative for Mutual of Omaha and United of Omaha, was recently awarded a certificate of proficiency for successful completion of an intensive course in advanced life insurance underwriting.

The seminar, held in Omaha, Neb., utilized the latest audiovisual and computerized facilities. Special sessions featured business insurance, tax -sheltered annuities and estate planning.

Moore is associated with the Jack Williams Division Office, general agency for Mutual and United in Cape Girardeau.

Klein, president of ABKCO, paid for leasing the Garden for the two shows.

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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
OF NOTICE
Circuit Court for the County of Scott State of Missouri

Norma Jean Choate, Plaintiff
vs.
James Lee Choate, Defendant
No. 7923

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
OF NOTICE

On this 11th day of February, 1974, it appearing from the verified application of plaintiff for an order allowing service by publication that defendant

JAMES LEE CHOATE

cannot be personally served within this state, it is ordered that the application of plaintiff be granted and that service by publication upon said defendant be had as provided by law and that said defendant be and is hereby notified that an action has been commenced against said defendant in the circuit court for the County of Scott, State of Missouri, the object and general nature of which is

an amended Petition for Divorce

And that said defendant be and is hereby further notified that the name and address of the attorney for plaintiff is Bernard C. Rice of the Law firm of Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal and that said defendant is required to apperar and defend this action within 45 days after the 15th day of February, 1974, and in case of failure so to do judgment by default will be rendered against said defendant.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Daily Sikeston Standard, Sikeston, Missouri, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Scott, State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the circuit court this 11th day of February, 1974.
(SEAL)

Lynn F. Ingram
Circuit Clerk

300, 306, 312, 5

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
OF SCHOOL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that Scott County Reorganized School District R-V, intends to sell the following described property in Scott County Missouri, more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Tract I (a): A tract or parcel of land, containing 4.14 acres, being a part of the East One-Half (E½) of Lot Six (6) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section One (1), Township Twenty- seven (27) North, Range Thirteen (13) East and described as follows: Beginning at a pump pipe set by M. S. Murray 1920, for the West 1/16 corner on the North side of said Section One (1), also described as being the Northwest corner of the East One-Half (NW cor. E½) of Lot Six (6) Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section One (1); thence East along the line between Townships Twenty- seven (27) and Twenty-eight (28), also the North line of said Lot Six (6) a distance of 400 feet to an iron pin set for the Northeast corner of school lot; thence South 1 degree West along the West line of School Street and projected a distance of 450 feet to an iron pin set for the Southeast corner of said school lot; thence West paralleling the Township line a distance of 400 feet to a iron pin set at the intersection of the West 1/16 section line for the Southwest corner of school lot; thence North 1 degree East along the said West 1/16 section line a distance of 450 feet to the point of beginning.

Excepting therefrom any and all rights of way or easements over and across or affecting said lands.

Tract I (b): A tract or parcel of land, containing 5.33 acres, being a part of the West One-Half (W½ of Lot Six (6) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section One (1), Township Twenty-seven (27) North, Range Thirteen (13) East and described as follows: Beginning at a pump pipe set by M. S. Murray 1920, for the West 1/16 corner on the North side of said Section One (1), also described as being the Northeast corner of the West One-Half (W½) of Lot Six (6) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of said Section One (1); thence South 1 degree West along the West 1/16 section line a distance of 554.018 feet to an iron pin set for the Southeast corner of tract of land herein described; thence West paralleling the line between Townships Twenty-seven (27) and Twenty- eight (28) a distance of 418.77 feet to an iron pin set for the Southwest corner of tract of land herein described; thence North 1 degree East paralleling the said West 1/16 section line a distance of 554.018 feet to a pump pipe set by R. L. Harrison 1939 for the Northwest corner of tract of land herein described at the intersection of the line between Townships Twenty- seven (27) and Twenty-eight (28); thence East along the line between said Townships Twenty- seven and Twenty- eight (28), also the North line of said Lot Six (6) a distance of 418.77 feet to the point of beginning.

Excepting therefrom any and all rights of way or easements over and across or affecting said lands.

Sealed bids on either or both of the above described tracts, accompanied by a bank draft, money order or certified check payable to Building Fund, Scott County Reorganized School District R-V in the amount of Ten (10%) percent of the total bid, will be accepted at the office of the Superintendent of Scott County Reorganized School District R-V until Thursday, February 21, 1974 at 5:00 o'clock P.M. C.D.T. The Board of Education of Scott County Reorganized School District R-V reserves the right to reject all bids. All bids and accompanying documents will be returned to unsuccessful bidders.

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Reorganized School
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ATTEST:
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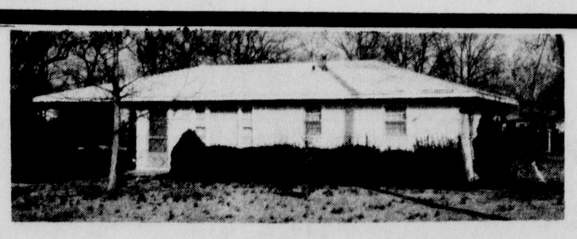

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34. Mobile Homes

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1--656 INTERNATIONAL TRACTOR DIESEL WITH ALL EXTRAS
1--1969 "503" COMBINE, IHC. HYDROSTAT 16 FOOT HEADER LOW BAR, ALL EXTRAS.
1--403 IHC. COMBINE WITH ALL EXTRAS
1--400 IHC TRACTOR EQUIPMENT
1--6 ROW AMCO HIPPERS WITH HYDRAULIC MARKERS LIKE NEW
1--6 ROW ROLLING LISTON CULTIVATOR, LIKE NEW
1--6 ROW IHC CULTIVATOR, LATE MODEL
1--6 ROW OLIVER PLANTER, WITH ALL EXTRAS. PULL TYPE
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1--INTERNATIONAL 6 ROW PLANTER 3 PT. TOOL-BAR.
1--5-14 SEMI-MOUNT PLOW. OLIVER.
1--410 EVERSMAN LAND PLANE
1--16 FOOT JOHN DEERE WING DISC
1--19 FT. WING TYPE VIBER SHANK CULTIVATOR 3 PT.
2--6 ROW OLIVER CULTIVATOR, SEAL BEARING GAUGE WHEELS 3 PT.
1--6 ROW PREMERGE RIG
1--13½ FT. GLENCO FIELD CULTIVATOR, 3 PT.
2--J.D. 4 ROW HOE
1--WIDWEST HARROW, 16 FT.
1--5-16 OLIVER SEMI-MOUNT PLOW.
1--500 BU. GRAIN DRYER, BEHLEN, ALL ELECTRIC
2- 329 N. CORN HEADS FOR 403
1-BEHLEN 375 BU. GRAIN DRYER
1--16 FT FLEXIBLE HARROW
1--SET OF SOIL SURGERS
1--2-14 J.D. PLOW 3 PT.
1--INTERNATIONAL 2 ROW, CORN PICKER
1-30 FT. AUGER WITH GAS MOTOR
1--3PT. SIDE WINDER WITH STUMP JUMPER.
1--FEED MIXER

trucks & trailers-
1--1969 GMC ½ TON PICKUP CLEAN
1--1960 INTERNATIONAL TRUCK ½ TON
1--1966 CHEV 10 WHEELER TRUCK
1-INTERNATIONAL TRUCK, 2 TON WITH HOIST GOOD GRAIN BED.
1--INTERNATIONAL TRUCK WITH FIFTH WHEEL.
1--INTERNATIONAL TRUCK WITH PARKER GRAVITY FLOW BED. 250 BU.
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1—Desk
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Deaths

ROBERT L. RAYMER

DEXTER — Robert Lee Raymer, 40, died Tuesday at St. Luke's Hospital in St. Louis.

He was born Feb. 4, 1934 near Waverly, Tenn.

He was a member of the Southwest Church of Christ.

On Oct. 11, 1959, he married Bonnie Thoeman, who survives.

Also surviving are one son, Paul David Raymer of the home; parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Raymer of Canalou; three brothers, John Raymer of Chicago and Dale and Fred Raymer of Union City, Tenn. and two sisters, Dorothy Lowery of Kennett and another sister of McEwen, Tenn.

Friends may call at Rainey Funeral Home.

Services are scheduled at 3 p.m. Thursday in the funeral home with Wayne Curry and Harbert Hooper officiating.

Burial will be in Dexter Cemetery.

BETTY TUCKER

LOUISIANA, Mo. — Betty Tucker, 45, formerly of Parma, died Tuesday.

She was born June 17, 1928 at DesArc to the late L. J. and Gladys Poston.

On April 26, 1946, she married Charles E. Tucker, who survives.

Other survivors include one daughter, Shirley Ruth Willis of Palmyra; one son, Norman Poston of Marion, Ill.; two brothers, Curtis Poston of Bridgeton and George Poston of Poplar Bluff, one sister, Sue Weatherford of Malden; and two grandchildren.

The body is at Watkins and Sons Funeral Home in Parma where arrangements are incomplete.

CARL S. SHAW

PARMA — Carl Stephen Shaw, 81, died Monday at Veterans Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

He was born April 20, 1892 at Olney, Ill, to the late Thomas and Lillie Bell Shaw.

He was a member of the Parma United Methodist Church, a veteran of World War I and a member of Veteran of Foreign Wars.

On Dec. 19, 1958, he married Grace Wyman, who survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Bob Shaw of Dexter and Carl Shaw Jr. of Andalusia, Ala. one stepson, Raymond Wyman of Parma; two stepdaughters, Norma Lee Patton of Casey, Ill., and Helen Blevins of Parma; two brothers, David Shaw of Parma and Rubin Shaw of Hickory Ridge, Ark.; and seven grandchildren and four great- grandchildren.

Friends may call at Watkins and Sons Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday. The Revs. Clinton Berkmeyer of Lilbourn and George Sisler of Dexter will officiate.

Burial will be in Sadler Chapel Cemetery near Dexter.

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Olson Bros	1¾	2¼
Martha Manning	1¼	1¾
Pabst Brewing	21¾	22¼
Chase Nat	7¾	8¾
Wetterau	17	17½
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		20¾
American Tel & Tel		51¼
American Motors		10¾
Calvert Exp		4½
Chrysler		16¾
Columbia Gas		26¾
Eaton Mfg.		26¾
Ford Motors		44¼
General Motors		48¾
Interstate Brands		6¼
Malone & Hyde		22
Mid South Util		15½
J. C. Penney		69¾
New England Elect		21½
Occidental Pet		10½
WalMart Stores		14¾

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone Phone 471-5350.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	16.5	—1.0
Cape Girardeau	32	24.2	—1.0
New Madrid	34	35.3	—1.4
Caruthersville	32	34.9	—1.0

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .5 Thursday; fall .4 Friday; and fall . .2 Saturday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .7 Thursday; fall .7 Friday; and fall .2 Saturday.

At New Madrid the river will fall 1.7 Thursday; fall .16 Friday; and fall 1.8 Saturday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall 1.3 Thursday; fall 1.2 Friday; and fall 1.4 Saturday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	32.6	—1.5
Paducah	39	37.0	—1.6
Grand Chain	42	45.3	—1.4
Cairo	40	44.9	—1.4

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will fall 1.4 Thursday; fall 1.5 Friday; and fall 1.2 Saturday.

At Paducah the river will fall 2.0 Thursday; fall 2.0 Friday; and fall 1.5 Saturday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river will fall 1.6 Thursday; fall 2.2 Friday and fall 2.0 Saturday.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat futures opened sharply higher on the Chicago Board of Trade today while other grains were mixed and soybeans were lower.

On the opening, wheat was 2 to 7 cents a bushel higher, March 5.97; corn was unchanged to 3 lower, March 3.07; oats were 1½ lower to ½ higher, March 1.70 and soybeans were 3 to 9 lower, March 6.50.

Two fined $17

CHARLESTON — Fines of $17 each were paid in City Court today by Susie Lee Tripler, 20, and Dorothy Jean Spence, 20, of Charleston on disturbing the peace charges.

The nation's railroads, in 1971, hauled 2,626,280,490 tons of freight in 1,440,873 freight cars over some 204,000 miles of railroad track, The World Almanac says. During this period freight trains traveled 436,563,277 miles at a cost of 1.61 cents a ton mile, and earned the railroads about $12 billion in freight revenue.

Bill would give Madrid schools monies increase

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A proposed revision of the state school monies distribution formula for local school districts, expected to cost $60 million in the first year, 1975-76, will mean more money to most of Missouri's 600 school districts.

Debate was to continue today on the bill.

But about a dozen will lose money, according to estimates by the state Department of Education.

Under the formula, the minimum guaranteed contribution per pupil would be the average statewide cost per pupil in the past two years, about $930. That would replace the current $400 per pupil per year minimum.

At present, local revenue from property taxes up to $1.25 per $100 of assessed valuation is deducted from the contribution to each district.

The new limit would be the statewide average levy, and the tax money received from railroads, telegraph and other utilities, plus intangible tax receipts for the 1974-75 year, would be deducted from the district's total.

Among the districts expected to lose money under the program, according to Education Department figures, are:

Perry County District 73, which received $21,134 from the state this year, will receive $18,392 for 1975-76 under the new program and phased down to $14,898 by 1977-78. The 1974-75 total, under the old formula, would be slightly increased.

Pettis County 4-12, $8,821 this year under the present formula, $7,678 in 1975-76 under the new formula and $6,219 in 1977-78.

Pike R-3, $142,666 for this school year (1973-74;, $124,158 in 1975-76 and $100,568 in 1977-78

Westran R-1, $145,792 now, to $126,844 in 1975-76, and $140,065 in 1977-78.

Lesterville R-4, $71,446, $62,177 in 1975-76, and $50,363 in 1977-78.

Berkeley, $878,649 this year, $764,674 in 1975-76, and $619,386 in 1977-78.

Clayton, $499,400 this year, $434,651 in 1975-76, and $352,067 in 1977-78.

Ladue, $1,119,703 this year, $974,456 in 1975-76, and $789,309 in 1977-78.

Maplewood-Richmond Heights, $574,071 this year, $499,604 in 1975-76, and $584,714 in 1977-78.

Jennings, $597,454 this year, $519,954 in 1975-76, and $421,163 in 1977-78.

Brentwood, $328,861 this year, $286,202 in 1975-76, and $231,824 in 1977-78.

Concordia R-2, $85,087 now, $74,050 in 1975-76, and $59,981 in 1977-78.

Affton 101, $874,318 this year, $787,103 in 1975-76, and it gains in 1977-78, getting $982,394.

St. Louis City received $28.4 million this year and will get $35.7 million in 1975-76 under the new formula.

St. Joseph would go from $5.7 million to $8.5 million in 1975-76. Jasper County R-8 (Joplin) would go from $2.8 million to $4 million.

New Madrid R-1 would get an increase from $1.8 million now to $2.7 million in 1975-76.

For Cape Girardeau No. 68, it would be $1.2 million compared with $1.5 million now. Jefferson City would go from $1.2 million to $1.4 million.

Five Most Active

Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were up 4.46 on a volume of 5 million shares.

NYSE Most Active:

Brit. Petro.	11 1/2	+1/8
Braniff Air.	9 7/8	+1/8
Roan Selec. Trst	4 1/2	-1/8
Texaco	20 1/4	+1/4
PPG, Ind.	24 3/8	-1/4
LISTED STOCKS		
Amer. Tele.	51 1/4	
Anheuser Busch	28 5/8	
Butler Natl.	1 5/8	
Cooper Tire	10 1/2	
Evans Prod.	10	
Feld Leasing	6 3/8	
Ford	44 1/8	
Manchester Life	3 1/2	
Gen. Mtrs.	49 3/4	
Interco	25 1/2	
Malone & Hyde	22 3/8	
Mid. Am. Great Plains	1	
Noranda Mines	49 1/4	
Pizza Inn	4 1/2	
R. J. Reynolds	42 1/4	
Redman	4 1/2	
Rival Mfg.	24 1/2	
St. Joe Mineral	38 7/8	
Texaco	28 1/4	
TransAmerica	9 3/4	
Wetterau Foods	17 1/2	

These quotations were provided at 11 a.m. today by Don Sarno, account executive, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Inc. 220 N. Fourth St. St. Louis, Mo. 63102. Call toll-free 1-800 392-3430

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Thursday: 5,000 hogs, 1,500 cattle and 75 sheep.

Hogs 7,000; butchers 1.00-1.25 lower. Sows uneven, 50-1.25 lower. U.S. 1-2 200-230 lb butchers 40.50-40.75. U.S. 1-3 200-250 lbs 39.50-40.50. U.S. 1-3 300-400 lb sows 34.25-35.50; 400-600 lbs 33.75-34.50. Boars under 250 lbs 34.00; over 250 lbs 30.00.

Cattle 800; slaughter steers and heifers 2.00-3.00 lower. Cows strong. Bulls steady.

Choice 950-1200 lb slaughter steers yield 2-4 44.00-46.00; good 42.00-43.50.

Choice 800-1000 lb slaughter heifers yield 2-4 42.00-43.00.

Utility and commercial cows 32.00-36.00; cutter 29.00-32.00; canner 26.00-30.00.

Sheep 400; slaughter lambs steady to 50 higher.

Choice and prime 85-110 lb slaughter lambs 41.50-42.00; choice 80-120 lbs 40.00-41.50.

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The pair was arrested Saturday night about 11 p.m. by the highway patrol on Interstate 55 one mile south of the Howardville interchange.

On Monday while they were in the courthouse corridor awaiting arraignment on charges of carrying a concealed weapon, and possession of a controlled substance, they walked out of the courthouse unnoticed. They were apprehended soon afterward when they were seen walking on top of the levee along Route U north of New Madrid.

Ayers was charged with carrying a concealed .45 caliber automatic military pistol and Smith was charged with a misdemeanor of possession of marijuana.

They requested appointment of an attorney which was made Tuesday. Bond was set at $1,000 for Ayers and $250 was set for Smith.

Ayers has hazel eyes, long brown hair and a beard and was wearing a light colored, flowered shirt, blue jeans and laced boots. Smith has blue eyes, long reddish hair, and was wearing a blue flannel shirt, blue trousers and laced boots.

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including 47 lots in the urban renewal area, need cleaning up and that a loader and truck would be needed for the job. The council set $4,000 as the maximum price it would pay for cleanup operations.

The council also voted to pay $285.42 in special assessment taxes for street paving owed on an urban renewal lot at the corner of Boone and Vine streets.

Layton Pickard was appointed to the housing board to fill a vacancy left by the death of Roe Powell.

Joe Galemore, who wishes to set up a mobile home park on property he owns on Plant Road and Oak Street, was instructed to present his plans to the planning and zoning commission for approval.

A resolution accepting the bid of Zahner and Co. of Kansas City for the selling of $125,000 in water revenue bonds at an interest rate of 4.7840 was approved.

Also approved was a resolution calling for advertising of the 1974 street- paving program. Portions of the following streets are to be included: Lafayette, Green, West Byrd, Elkins, Cleveland, Bondurant, Ashby, Danforth, Missouri, South Chestnut, Deal East Byrd and Grand Avenue.

Chief Richey was authorized to formulate new rules and regulations for the auxiliary police unit after he was appointed director.

Richey also was asked to obtain a model private investigator's license following a request for a license from Ray Anderson of Charleston. The only stipulation the council made was that the license not include permission to carry a gun.

Richey was granted permission to submit an application for three walkie-talkie units through the Bootheel Law Enforcement Assistance Council. If funding is approved, the city's share of the cost will be $528.

The council voted to contribute $150 to the Southeast Missouri Crime Laboratory in Cape Girardeau and to continue payments of $75 a month for rent on a building leased by Delta Area Economic Opportunity Corporation.

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assassinations of public officials and mass killings.

One man who walks up to another man on the street and kills him would not get the death penalty unless robbery was involved.

On the merit system plan, Democratic senators said they objected to Bond's leaving policy making division heads outside the Merit System.

Sens. William J. Cason, D-Clinton, and Albert Spradling, D-Cape Girardeau, complained that some competent Democrats have been fired by Revenue Director James R. Spradling since Republicans took control of the executive branch.

Bond said he was disappointed and said the party line vote showed "who is opposed to reform."

Most of the Republicans supported the Merit System plan.

Bond said the Senate Democrats "refused to allow us to remove one of the old vestiges of the spoils system by replacing the patronage system."

The reorganization bill vetoed by Bond last summer included the Merit System for the Revenue Department.

The Senate gave first-round approval to a bill that would combine the state Employes Retirement System with those of the Highway Patrol and Highway Department.

The $9 million bill, sponsored by Sen. Maurice Schechter, D-Creve Coeur, also would increase retirement benefits for legislators.

Legislators would be able to receive retirement benefits after only six years in the legislature with a maximum benefit equal to four-fifths of their annual salary. The salary for legislators now is $8,400 a year. A House committee has approved a bill raising the salaries to $12,000 a year.

Employes in the Highway Patrol and Highway Department would have to forego a pay raise this year to cover the cost of getting them into the state retirement system, Schechter said.

Also given first round approval was a bill to require employers to provide the state or political subdivisions lists of employes on request.

The bill is aimed at helping cities collect earnings taxes. Failure to comply would be a misdemeanor subject to a maximum fine of $1,000.

In committee action, the Senate Judiciary Committee approved a bill giving full rights, including the right to buy liquor, to persons aged 18 or over.

The only dissenting vote was by Sen. Earl Blackwell, D-Hillsboro, who tried and failed to amend the bill to exclude the right to buy alcoholic beverages.

Debbie Dunbar, a Washington University law student, told the House Labor Committee it would be more practical to amend titles in bills to bring the laws on sex distinctions up to date, rather than amend all the laws.

She supported a bill by Rep. Sue Shear, D-St. Louis County, to change the words "minor or woman" to "person" on a law saying women or minors won't have to clean any part of a piece of machinery while it is in motion.

She also would change from "girls or women" to "persons" a section of the law saying suitable places to wash and dress must be provided.

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Obedience classes set

CAPE GIRARDEAU — The obedience committee of the Southeast Missouri Kennel Club has set March 13 for the start of obedience training classes to be held in the Arena Building at 7:30 p.m.

For further information, residents of the Sikeston area may phone Mrs. Hazelle Wilson at 471-4328.

The date was selected at a club meeting here last week.

The club also decided to send the entire obedience committee to an obedience seminar sponsored by the Paducah (Ky.) Kennel Club March 30 and 31 in Paducah.

Mrs. Richard Hillyard of Sikeston was welcomed as a new member.

Club members are now making plans for an all- breed dog show to be held June 15 in Cape Girardeau.

Two arrested

Police today announced the arrest of Wanda Lee Downer, 216 E. Center St. for not having a city sticker, and Larence Tate of St. Charles for public intoxication.

Tommy Davis of the Baltimore Orioles paced American League designated hitters last season with a .293 average.

Weather spurs hopes of camping

So much warm weather in the middle of winter sometimes spurs the desire for traditionally summer activities. Tony Sisk of Morehouse, left, and Paul Martin of Sikeston took advantage of near 70 degree weather Tuesday to get their tent ready for a camping trip – if the weather holds. (Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

Building permits total $68,104

Building permits were issued for $68,104 worth of construction during January, according to City Clerk John Vaughn.

The permits included:

Spencer H. Ducey, extension of carport, 3 Mobile Drive, $304; Jackson and Jackson Inc., three- bedroom brick veneer, 117 Linda, $22,500; Thomas Hays, remodeling, 323 Petty St., $1,500; Annie William, remodeling, 1716 Ford St., $1,500; Slusher- Baker Inc., addition, 1035 S. Main St., $3,000.

A. D. Price, three- bedroom brick veneer, 706 Bayberry, $25,000; Thomas Stalcup, storage shed, 719 Greer, $300; Kenneth Hopwood, enclose carport, 400 Hardin St., $2,000; and Caproco, Inc., addition, Industrial Drive, $12,000.

Fire destroys Sterling home

EAST PRAIRIE-- The home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sterling, 206 Ramsey St., was destroyed by fire about 11:30 a.m. Tuesday.

The fire of undetermined origin had engulfed the five-room frame home and destroyed all furnishings and personal belongings by the time firemen arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling were at work and their son, Robert Todd, 6, was in school at the time of the fire.

The Sterlings moved into the new home in January 1973.

Break-in nets tape deck, cash

NEW MADRID-- A. C. Riley Cotton Co. office on Highway 61 was broken into Tuesday night and a stereo tape deck valued at approximately $200 and an undetermined amount of change from a soft drink machine were stolen.

According to Deputy Sheriff Flip Dees, the thieves entered the building by breaking through a door. Dees said drawers and files had been ransacked.

PORT WASHINGTON, N.Y. (AP) — Jamie the dog has a seeing-eye man.

The man, Ed Bostick, leads his blind terrier around the block twice a day. Jamie gets along quite well by himself indoors and in spite of his affliction seems happy. Now 10 years old and looking something like a small, closely sheared sheep, he went blind two years ago with cataracts.

Bond explains slowness; truckers still dissatisfied

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Gov. Christopher S. Bond and other state officials attempted to explain the often slow-moving wheels of state government to a group of independent truckers Tuesday, but the truckers appeared unsatisfied.

In the sometimes tense atmosphere of the hearing, the truckers' spokesmen made pleas to officials to take quick action to correct what they view as problems affecting their livelihood.

The most frequently heard recommendation was that the state increase the maximum weight trucks are allowed to carry from 73,280 to 80,000 pounds and the maximum length from 55 to 60 feet.

Truckers said they faced intense difficulty in collecting a 6 per cent surcharge authorized by the federal government to partially compensate them for soaring fuel costs.

They told state officials many carriers were refusing to pay the additional amount.

J.W. "River Rat" Edwards, president of the Owner-Operators and Independent Drivers Association of America, said promises made by the federal government were not being honored.

He said the truckers were promised a 110 per cent fuel allocation over their 1972 use in December, 1973 and there were places where the allocation was substantially below that.

Edwards emphasized the need for legislation to authorize the 60 feet and 80,000 pound maximums. He said such authorization would not hurt the highways and would allow the independent drivers to make up some of their losses since fuel costs began to soar.

"We have received absolutely nothing but promises" from Washington, Edwards said, and he asked the state officials for something other than promises to take back to his membership.

Gov. Bond, Revenue Department Director James Spradling and Sen. Jack Gant explained that a bill to authorize the increase in weight was currently in a House committee and the truckers should contact the members of the committee to urge them to send it to the full House quickly.

They said it might be possible to place the bill for special House consideration and amend it to include the length limitation the truckers are seeking.

Edwards said the state of Washington had enacted such legislation in three days and wondered why it could not be enacted quickly in Missouri since immediate action can often be taken by government in other situations.

Most truckers and representatives said they were seeking some tangible accomplishment to take back to their members to assure them that action was being taken.

Some said that despite public feeling to the contrary, the independent shutdown is not over and in fact may get worse.

Edwards said there are rumors that members of the Teamsters Union who are employed by large companies may join the independent walkout. If they do, he asked, what position would the nation find itself in?

William Van Matre, a Mexico attorney representing an association of independent truckers, described the truckers as "scared" because they are unable to get fuel to continue profitable operation.

Atty. Gen. Danforth told the truckers that because they had resorted to demonstrations and disorganized activity before they had sought meeting with state officials, "you've gone about it backwards."

Not so, shot back Richard Shaikewitz, representing the Independent Truckers Corp.

Perhaps, Shaikewitz told the attorney general, "you haven't been cognizant of the problems of your constituents."

The trucking representatives emphasized that the problem was serious and many independent operators would be forced out of business if they did not get some relief.

Rotary to mark anniversary

DEXTER — The Dexter Rotary Club will mark its 25th anniversary Feb. 26 by honoring past local and district officers.

Bill Kerstner is chairman of the planning committee.

Cash taken from Home Oil machine

Thieves took $60 in cash from a vending machine at Home Oil Co. on East Malone Avenue sometime between Friday and Monday, police said today.

The theft was discovered when the machine was opened. Police said damage to the machine was estimated at $8.

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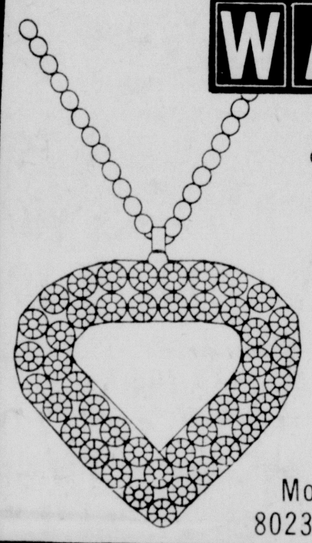

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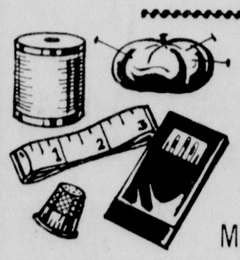

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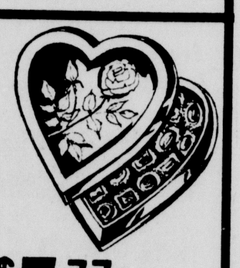

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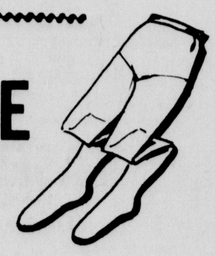

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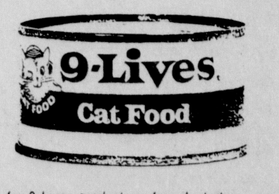

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Pork & Beans	Showboat Canned	14½-oz. Tins.	17¢
Grapefruit Juice	Town House	Qt.-14-oz. Tins.	49¢
Margarine	Goldbrook Solid Pack 3	1-lb. Pkgs.	$1
Shortening	Velkay All Purpose 3	-lb. Tin.	99¢
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Cream Pies	Bel-air Quality 3	14-oz. Pkgs.	$1
Orange Juice	Minute Maid 100% Florida 3	6-oz. Tins.	$1
Strawberries	Scotch Treat	10-oz. Ctn.	39¢
Orange Juice	Scotch Treat	12-Oz. Tin	39¢
Meat Pies	Swanson, Easy to Fix 3	8-oz. Pkgs.	$1
Fish Cake Dinner	Captain's Choice	11-oz. Pkgs.	43¢

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Meat Wieners	Safeway Quality	12-oz. Pkg.	98¢
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Skylark Bread	Old Fashioned Bread 3	1-lb. Loaves	$1
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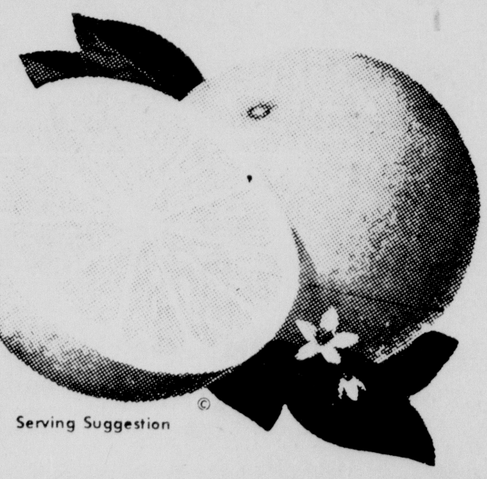

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Cake Mixes	Duncan Hines, Layer Cake Mixes	1-lb. 2½-oz. Pkgs.	49¢
Dial Bath Soap	Everday Low Price!	5-oz. Bar.	28¢
Hamburger Helpers	Betty Crocker, Money Savers!	7-oz. Pkg.	60¢
Salad Dressing	Wishbone Chunky Blue Cheese Dressing	8-oz. Btl.	55¢
Chicken & Dumplings	Sweet Sue Brand	1-lb. 5-oz. Tin.	69¢
Cream Cheese	Kraft Philadelphia Brand, Low Priced!	3-oz. Pkg.	18¢
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Bananas	Golden Ripe Fresh Fruit	Lb.	15¢
Potatoes	U.S. #1 Garden Side Red 10	-lb. Bag.	$1.39
Broccoli	New Crop! Our Low Price	Lb.	33¢
Oranges	Sweet and Juicy Fruit 5	-lb. Bag.	69¢
Sweet Potatoes	New Crop!	Lb.	27¢

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Mrs. Felker receives degree

COLUMBIA — Mrs. Jan Sargent Felker received a bachelor of science degree in December from University of Missouri - Columbia. Mrs. Felker made the dean's list and graduated cum laude with a degree in elementary education.

She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John P. Sargent, 999 N. Kingshighway, Sikeston, and is married to Ed Felker, a student at the university's School of Medicine.

They live in Columbia.

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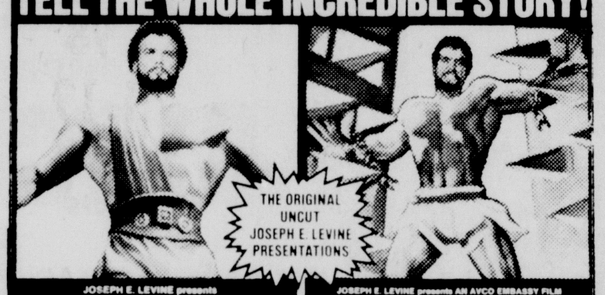

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50 years ago
February 13, 1924

Malone Theatre today, Ralph Graves in "The Ghost Patrol." Admission 10 and 20 cents.

The Lair Furniture Co., of Charleston has rented one of the rooms in the Young-Mayfield building and will stock it, when completed, with a line of furniture and home fixings that will be equal to any stock in Southeast Missouri.

Miss Mildred Bowman has accepted a position at the post office here.

Arthur Kem and family of Sikeston moved to Miner Switch Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Layton entertained with a dinner at their home last Sunday in honor of their son, Jessie's, birthday.

40 years ago
February 13, 1934

Brief funeral services were held Sunday at the home of Sid Hornback of this city for his aunt, Mrs. Sarah E. Williams, of Memphis, Tenn., who died on the eighth in the City Hospital in Memphis from pneumonia and complications of diseases.

On Monday morning, a large number of friends attended the wedding of Miss Edith Frey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Frey, to Oliver Dumey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dumey, both families of which are successful farmers of this community. The ceremony was performed at a Nuptial Mass at St. Francis Xavier Church.

Thomas Burton Russell, age 76, died Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Nevada Cantwell, about three miles south of Sikeston.

Sensenbaugh's Tractor & Implement Co., a recently organized firm, will have its headquarters in the Sensenbaugh Bros. Garage. This new firm will carry a complete line of J. L. Case Tractors and Farm Machinery. Arba Sensenbaugh will be manager and salesman of this concern.

30 years ago
February 13, 1944

The Taylor Funeral Home has purchased a large lot between the Catholic Church and the Loomis Mayfield residence facing Malone Park to the north, from Lee Hunter of St. Louis and a modern funeral home is to be constructed on the lot as soon as possible.

The following children will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, administered by the Most Rev. George J. Donnelly D. D., Auxiliary Bishop of St. Louis on Thursday evening, February 17 at St. Francis Xavier Church in Sikeston; Margaret Ann Moore, Marilyn Moore, Dorothy Louise Cooley, Marjorie Ann Smith, Mary Ann Walker, Kitty Ann Alberson, Etta Mae Glaus, Patricia Jameson, Helen Marie Shy, Shirley Ann Seyer, Mary Cecilia Litchford, Marcella Miles, Marjorie Beinert, and Louise Meunir.

Patsy Hopper, Marjorie Ann Campbell, James Middleton, George Waters, Robert McCarver, Edward Schwab, Kenneth Rennier, Carl Rennier, Floyd Pobst, James Pobst, Eugene Pobst, Jimmie McReynolds, Bobby McReynolds, Joseph Leible, and Ernest Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Corlew are parents of a daughter born Monday at their home, 403 Harris Street. She has been given the name of Cassandra Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Matthews are parents of their first child, a daughter born February 2 at Sikeston General Hospital. She has been named Mary Helen.

Morley-- Clara Foster spent the weekend in Cape Girardeau with Marie Vaughn.

20 years ago
February 13, 1954

Charleston-- Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Belle Lacock, 88, a resident of Charleston the past 14 years, will be tomorrow. She died this morning at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Wert Gwaltney, 306 South Third street.

New Madrid-- A life- long resident of New Madrid County, Mrs. Mattie Sheby, 85, died yesterday at her home in New Madrid.

Funeral services for Julius G. Kluge, 81, an area resident in the early 1900's will be tomorrow in Herrin, Ill. Mr. Kluge came to this region about the turn of the century and settled near Morley at what became Kluge's Hill on Highway 61 north. Here he developed a large peach orchard that became known throughout Southeast Missouri.

Mrs. Sara Virginia Young, 93, died yesterday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Ada Ewin of Route 3, Matthews, with whom she had made her home.

Little Carol Jean Walden recently celebrated her first birthday with a party given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walden, formerly of Sikeston, now living in Flint, Mich.

H. L. Stacy and John Matthews, both of Sikeston, were awarded 20 and 10- year service pins, respectively, at a meeting this week in Cape of the Standard Oil Co.

Morehouse-- Continuing to sweep past all opposition with considerable ease, the Morehouse Tigers collected their 26th straight basketball victory last night, defeating Lilbourn 88- 38.

SeMo students named to honor roll at ASU

JONESBORO, Ark. — Nine Southeast Missouri students have been named to the honor roll for the fall semester at Arkansas State University.

To qualify for the honor roll, a student must carry 12 hours and make a 3.25 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale.

Bootheel area students named to the honor roll were:

Gale L. Robinson of Bernie; Elizabeth A. Howard and Phyllis C. Howard of Clarkton; Carol L. Davis of Dexter; Paul D. Cunningham and Jamie S. Lawrence of Gideon; Roy R. Jones, William Morgan III and Ricky L. Slavings of Hayti.

Sandra L. Bollinger, David L. Drake, Peggy L. Evans, Kristi S. Hester and Phyllis A. Miles of Malden; Gerald L. Harris of New Madrid; Ann Grable and Deborah A. Hoggard of Portageville; and Jammie L. Beaird of Sikeston.

Butz says he anticipates no food shortage

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz predicted today Americans will not be short of food in this century but cautioned that farmers must be allowed profitable prices and outlets to world markets.

"Farmers respond to prices," Butz said. "Strong crop prices in late 1972 and early 1973 were an effective incentive for farmers to produce record crops. If prices had not been allowed to increase to reflect growing demand, then increased production clearly would not have come forth as it did."

Butz's remarks were in a speech prepared for a seminar sponsored by the Governor's Council on Agriculture.

Citing U.S. farm production gains the past 25 years, Butz said there is large potential for further gains in the future.

Movie depicts road to alcoholism

NEW YORK (AP) — ABC-TV tonight is airing a show that may be particularly frightening to those who say they've no doubts about their ability to handle booze. They, above all, should see it.

The show, "The Morning After," stars Dick Van Dyke as Charlie Lester, a well-liked, successful oil company public relations man whose mornings after increasingly are becoming more than just the inside sweats.

It's not just a tale about the downfall of a corporate lush.

Rather, it's a chilling, sip-by-sip study, stirred with a heavy swizzle stick for dramatic emphasis, of how easily any "social drinker" can slide into alcoholism without realizing there's no way he or she can handle any kind of drinking.

On the surface, the 43-year-old hero of "The Morning After" has a life most would envy — a fat salary, the respect of his employer, a good family, a home in Los Angeles' exclusive Pacific Palisades area.

And his tippling isn't the cheery "I'll drink to that!" style we commonly attribute to the public lush. He sips politely, ostensibly pacing his intake for the first few rounds.

The show brilliantly outlines the danger signs every member of Alcoholics Anonymous can recite on cue — post-bottle losses of memory, increased solo drinking, defensiveness about drinking.

One part in which it lags is a not-too-realistic scene in which he blubbers to a psychiatrist that his booze problems all stem from lack of self-respect caused by an unhappy childhood.

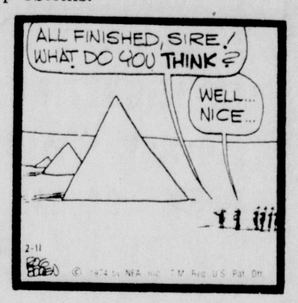
But the rest of it is all there — the alternate nagging and forgiveness of his wife, threats by his boss to can him if the boozing continues, the frequent pledges to quit or cut down.

Aside from the psychiatrist scene, the only other fault I'd find with the show is that its makers sporadically insert some pop music and lyrics — "I'm not half the man I used to be" from "Yesterdays" — to make sure we realize Charlie Lester has big problems. It's unnecessary.

But over-all, "The Morning After" is a realistic, powerful show that bears watching. It's a strong and welcome antidote to the usual run of TV movies about happy folks with happy problems.

And the entire cast turns in believeable performances, particularly Van Dyke, an admitted "recovered alcoholic."

He creates an unusually gripping portrait of a basically decent man who, even in his sober moments, refuses to admit he's got a disease just as crippling as any — and that the only way to cure it is to quit drinking entirely.



"Now don't enjoy yourself into a state of utter exhaustion."

What's the law?

The case of the frustrated waiter

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Before the telephone was invented, people thought talking over a wire was impossible; it still was as far as Herbert was concerned.

Over an eight- month period of time, he kept careful and accurate records to show that he had spent 61 1/4 frustrating hours waiting to obtain a dial tone, to complete a call or to obtain assistance from telephone company personnel.

Armed with these records, he finally sued the telephone company for failing to provide him with proper service. Specifically, he demanded to be paid for the value of his lost time.

"Not only didn't the telephone company maintain standards of efficiency that I considered proper," he complained in court, "it didn't maintain it's own prescribed standards of efficiency. The whole mad scene was right out of Alice in Wonderland.

"With the constant and rapid increase in the demand for installations, equipment and service," responded a telephone company official, "the situation has become very trying. And, we've been trying the best we can!"

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the telephone company pay frustrated Herbert for the value of his lost waiting time?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that while Herbert had clearly established that he suffered great inconvenience, a telephone company cannot be held liable for failing to provide "just and reasonable" and "adequate, efficient and proper service" unless it's failure is due to gross negligence or willful misconduct.

In this case, concluded the court, while the telephone company may have been negligent, it was not guilty of gross negligence or willful misconduct. It tried to keep up with a difficult situation and trying is what counts.

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1 tsp. lemon juice
½ tsp. dried herbs (mixed; basil or tarragon)
2½ cups cubed, cooked chicken (1-3½ lb. chicken)
1 pkg. (10 oz.) frozen broccoli spears
1 tbsp. Nu-Maid Margarine, melted
½ cup shredded Cheddar cheese

Preheat oven to 350°.

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Remove from heat; gradually stir in milk. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture thickens and comes to boil.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Sikeston Standard Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Sir:

I would like to use your newspaper as a means of saying thank you to all the many people who helped during the tragic accident involving the school busses from Bell City School. To the doctors, nurses and hospital personnel who worked effectively to handle the emergency; to the many who helped to bring the injured from the accident scene to the hospital; and to the people everywhere who pitched in to help, to Avis Rampley, the high school secretary, who stayed patiently by the phone answering calls from worried parents, and to all our kids who came bravely through the accident. We sure are proud of them!

I think one person deserves a special commendation. Mr. Thomas J. Sanders, a sixth grade teacher at Bell City, was riding the bus that turned over. His quick thinking and calm leadership helped to avert more panic and possible more serious injury to the children. He managed to get out of the bus and go call for help. He then returned and with the help of some of the older boys and girls helped most of the children from the bus. They all deserve much praise.

I would personally like to say thank you to one fine lady — Mrs. Murlene Patterson. She found my two (2) nephews wandering around on the road, took them home with her and called their mother. One of the boys was one that required hospitalization. So her thoughtfulness was appreciated so very much.

I hope everyone will accept my family's heartfelt thanks.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. Vernis Ramsey

Editor,
Sikeston Standard

Dear Sir:

A lot of Americans are wondering if the Watergate committee are so interested in facts why didn't they do some digging into the Kennedy murders it sure don't keep the people from thinking there were higher ups involved and it was an inside job also the Luther King murder. I read in the paper a few days ago where Ray's lawyer was sending an affidavit to the federal court that there were higher ups involved. There is one thing for sure President Nixon did not commit murder.

And try digging into the facts why did Ted Kennedy wait 9 hrs. to report the accident that took the life of that girl why don't they try finding more facts about that.

And talk about payoffs I have my doubts if there are 50 men in top government officials that has not took bribes in some form or another. Money contracts promises of help in business or jobs and many others to get votes.Why call pot Blackie when most of them who holler do worse. People know that there are communist in all of our goverment and they are doing everything they can to destroy the faith in our President and Nation and our way of life so they can take over they are trying to panick the American people. We are the best fed, best clothed, best educated and have more than any other nation in the world so quit griping and thank God you live in America.

Thats the big day the Communists are waiting for the Impeachment and disgrace of our President and nation so people better wake up they are not just trying to destroy a party but our nation and you better realize this before its too late.

The way I look at it those guys couldn't care less wha at it does to our nation just so we go down in disgrace.

Imogene Chappell
306 Smith St.
Sikeston, Mo. 63801

P.S. I hope the people realize where we are headed and rally behind our President.

February 9, 1974

March of Dimes
SEMO Chapter
Box 74
Scott City, Mo.
Ph-264-2409

To the Editor:

On behalf of the SEMO County Chapter, March of Dimes, I would like to thank you for the excellent coverage and publicity you gave us in our recent Mothers March.

Many youth groups and Civic Clubs helped this year as well as individuals which is the reason for the success of our 1974 campaign.

The response from teenagers this year was overwhelming and I think Scott County should be extremely proud of the youths who helped us in our fight against birth defects.

Sincerely,
Louise Miller,
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Price to pay for energy independence

WASHINGTON (AP) — For the United States to be energy independent by 1980, the U.S. consumer will have to drive a more economical car and pay higher gasoline prices, the Federal Energy Office says. There's more.

Energy officials say independence also will mean higher parking fees, vehicle registration fees and fuel taxes, and maybe a tax on high energy - consuming appliances.

Industries must cut the energy they use in manufacturing, recycle more of their materials, and shift their schedules to spread their use of electricity more evenly over the calendar and the clock.

The electric power industry itself must shift more of its plants from burning oil to burning coal, the FEO says. As a result the nation must put off for five years the achievement of some of its clean-air standards. While all this is going on, coal production must increase 60 per cent, oil production 22 per cent, natural gas production 15 per cent, and atomic power — now only a small contributor — must multiply tenfold.

All this, it turns out, is what President Nixon meant by "Project Independence," his call last month for a drive to make the United States self-sufficient in energy by 1980.

The Federal Energy Office unveiled the details Monday in a background paper issued at the conference of major oil-consuming nations.

With the sudden tripling of foreign oil prices since last October, the FEO paper said, "it is clear that there has been a fundamental change in the economics of petroleum production.

In recent years, the report said, U.S. energy production has grown about 3 per cent per year. It must grow about 4.6 per cent per year to achieve energy independence by 1980.

U.S. energy demand has increased more than 5 per cent annually for the last three years, and the FEO said studies indicated a long-range growth of about 3.5 per cent per year, or more.

The growth of demand must, instead, be cut to 2 per cent a year, the FEO said.

OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS

FT. HOOD, Tex. — Army Specialist Four Mark A. Hux, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Hux of Essex, Mo., re-enlisted for four years in the regular Army while serving with the 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Tex.

Spec. Hux is assigned to Service Battery, 1st Battalion of the Division's 92nd Field Artillery.

His wife Dana lives on Windmill Trailer Park, Route Four, Belton, Tex.

DOVER, Del. — Sgt. Marvun L. Garmon, son of Mrs. Margie B. Garmon of Portageville, Mo., has graduated from the Military Airlift Command's Noncommissioned Officer Leadership School at Dover Air Force Base.

Sgt. Garmon, who was trained in military management and supervision, is a supply specialist at Scott AFB, Ill.

A 1971 graduate of Portageville High School, the sergeant attended Belleville (Ill.) Junior College.

His wife Geraldine is the daughter of Mrs. Lula B. Frazier of 36 Portage Village, Portageville.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor

Dear Sir:

What ever happened to the underground newspaper about the upstanding and fine citizens of Sikeston?

About 2 months ago I read one which was circulating in Cape which was written by (quote) "The scared and concerned citizens of Sikeston", (unquote)

It had to deal with some shady dealings of Sikeston business men, and named names and named dates and challenged these men to deny it. It was just about the first honest thing I've ever seen about this town.

Everybody in Cape was tickled to death by it, but I came here to buy one and couldn't find a copy anywhere

I suspect it was banned by these higher- up citizens to keep Sikeston people from seeing it.

Well, anyway I just wanted all you little crooks and swindlers out there to know that somebody saw it.

Thank you Sir;
Mrs. Barbara Smith
202 Northwest St.
Sikeston, Mo.

Hairdressers to attend roundup

POPLAR BLUFF — Area hairdressers will have an opportunity Sunday to watch an outstanding guest artist, Jack LaPlante of St. Louis, at the spring educational roundup. The program will begin at 10 a.m. and end at 4 p.m. at Al-ed-co Copper Kettle Restaurant, Highway 67 North.

LaPlante is a salon owner, cosmetology school owner, member of St. Louis Hair Fashion Committee, Missouri Hair Fashion Committee and Official Hair Fashion Committee. He is currently president of the St. Louis Cosmetology Association and is immediate past styles director of Missouri Hair Fashion Committee.

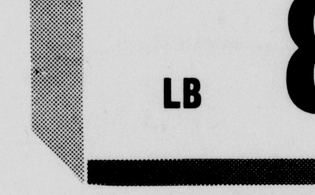
A hairstylist for 20 years, LaPlante has experience in all types of styling and is versed in all phases of the beauty profession.

Assisting him with the program will be Paul Hoffmeister, Margaret Estes, Evelyn Felker and Carolyn Gaither of Cape Girardeau, members of the Missouri Hair Fashion Committee and the Regional Cosmetology Association, Affiliate No. 23.

A fashion show with fashions from Charles Fashions of Poplar Bluff will be held at noon, and a smorgasbord meal will be served.

The meeting is for licensed cosmetologists. Members of the National Hairdressers Cosmetology Association will be admitted free with non-members being charged admission.

For more information, contact Mrs. Betty McCord of Jackson, phone number 243-4317; Mrs. Margaret Estes of Cape Girardeau, 335-5925; or Bill Dodd of Sikeson, 471-1750.



Some enterprising fellow is going to take all those mercury-laden fish and make souvenir thermometers out of them.

'Investor must select best hedge'

By CROCKET SCOTT

"With its true worth not obvious, it may go for a song."
... author unknown

While there is widespread disagreement about the state of the economy, at present and down the road a piece, too -- even among the experts -- there seems to be a general concurrence that inflation will continue at varying rates for years to come.

The investor then must try and select the best hedge.

Astute and nimble traders often do well moving in and out of common stocks -- and even depressed bonds from time to time.

Long-term investors, who have thorough knowledge of the fundamentals of medium to better quality stocks and buy when the stocks have sold off, frequently have good batting averages, too.

And, of course, they know when to sell, as well as when to buy.

But, in recent years, those people who purchased real estate, antiques and original art (by recognized artists and by those artists whose renown was moving up) have been in the happy state (with few exceptions) of not having to have known when to sell.

Why, because their holdings just kept going up -- and, for that matter, the real estate, original art and antique markets still are rising - while the stock market has tumbled to a mere fraction of its former worth, in the instance of a great many equities and bonds.

So, these markets have been excellent hedges against the constantly declining value of the dollar (For that matter, so has gold, although gold fluctuates in relatively wide swings as the gold market is invaded continually by sharp traders, whereas purchasers of antiques, original art and real estate usually are for long terms, making for market stability).

Thus, it would seem that in addition to depressed common stocks -- and there are a great many available today -- the astute investor should look around in the original art, real estate and antique markets for possible acquisitions.

These markets, of course, are precarious for the novice; and professional counsel should be sought.

A tour of big city art galleries and professional collectors could be enlightening and good place to start. This would acquaint the beginner with some of the established painters, and with those who have placed in the shows and who are on the way up.

It is interesting, as one begins to learn the names of the artists and "the schools" to which they belong, to ask art dealers for their evaluations of various artists, and their works and the prices they command.

Just as in appraisals of the economy by those well qualified to make such appraisals, you often get differing opinions. Thus, in the final analysis, as in the selection of a common stock, you sift the appraisals of the professionals and make your own decision.

The cash richness of individual collectors determines, of course, what the individual collector would pay for a work of art. If he is rich enough not to have to sell it in a hurry, he would pay more for it. If, of course, he sees real worth in the object.

Antique dealers and real estate buyers and holders appraise personal and real property from various approaches, too; and it is an education to study their methods -- an education which at some time in the future may yield rich rewards.

Just as in buying stocks or anything else, Ben Franklin's adage, "haste makes waste", is very true.

Indeed, you should "look befory you leap", realize that "knowledge is money" and that "one gets paid for what he knows."

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Dancing the tango

Rick Venson and partner Sue Moore dance a tango during a dancers' showcase ball in Tulsa, Okla.

Venson instructs dancing

TULSA, Okla. — Rick Venson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Vaughan of 113 Terrace Drive, Sikeston, Mo. is an instructor at the Arthur Murray Dance Studio in Tulsa, where he has taught ballroom dancing for the past year and a half.

Venson began his training in St. Louis and completed it in Tulsa. He is presently working toward his third level of dancing, the gold standard.

Venson and his partner, Sue Moore, will be in a professional dancers' showcase Feb. 17-18 in Dallas, Tex.

Doctor is named as diplomate

KANSAS CITY --Dr. Andrew D. Martin of Sikeston has been named a diplomate of the American Board of Family Practice (ABFP) as a result of passing a certification examination offered by the ABFP. He is now certified in the family practice specialty.

To achieve diplomate status, Dr. Martin took an intensive two -day written examination designed to prove his ability in the area of internal medicine, surgery, obstetrics, gynecology, pediatrics, psychiatry and community medicine.

The physicians also must continue to show proof of competency in the field of comprehensive continuing care of the family by being recertified every six years. No other medical specialty requires diplomates to prove competence on a continuing basis.

To qualify for the examination, doctors either must have completed a three -year family practice residency or have been in family practice a minimum of six years and successfully complete 300 hours of continuing medical education approved by the American Academy of Family Physicians.

The latest group of diplomates took the fourth examination offered by the ABFP. Most are members of the Academy of Family Physicians, the national association of family doctors. In addition to being the only national medical doctor group to require members to take continuing medical study, the AAFP was chiefly responsible for securing specialty status for family practice.

Insurance men attend meeting

Three Sikeston insurance men attended a district meeting in Sikeston for agents of the Farmers Mutual Hail Insurance Co. of Columbia.

The local agents who attended are C. E. Cantrell, Bill Burke and Richard Edwards.

A total of 75 agents and their wives attended the meeting — one of nine conducted throughout the state for the company's 950 agents. The original crop insurance company in Missouri, the firm is beginning its 77th year.

In 1973, the company insured over 1.5 million acres of crops against hail and fire damage for a total volume of $125 million.

A record of almost $5 billion worth of insurance protected farmers against losses to growing crops in 1973, a year in which $100,455,023 in losses was paid by private insurance companies for hail damage.

Fieldmen in charge of the meeting were Bill Dorward of Dexter and Robert Hesselrode of Kennett.

Focus on Business

The Chinese began using gunpowder in fireworks around the 9th century and developed the making of fireworks displays into an art. Until this century, most fireworks used in American Fourth of July celebrations had been imported from China, The World Almanac notes.

The camel was one of the first animals domesticated by man. Contrary to popular belief, the camel's hump does not store water, but instead serves as a storehouse for fat, The World Almanac notes. This central concentration of fat enables a camel's body to dissipate heat more rapidly under extreme desert conditions.

Reorganization bill to cost $50,000,000 more

SEN. NELSON B. TINNIN

JEFFERSON CITY — The Senate and House have agreed on a compromise measure of reorganizing State Government. Legislative process, by its very nature, is always a matter of compromise — that is the way all laws are made.

Senate conferees on the bill have said that there will be from 100 to 350 bills introduced in the next few years to amend the bill to make it workable. Some Senate members have said that they will have bills ready by Monday to introduce. Some Senators on the Conference Committee have said that as this reorganization goes into effect that many heads of departments will find that the way they are reorganized will not function and they will be asking for changes.

As each head of department appeared before the Appropriation Committee, the Chairman asked each one if the reorganization bill would save any money and each one told the Appropriation Committee that in their department it would cost more. The new reorganization bill that the voters approved, expecting to save money, is now expected to cost around $50,000,000 more money. The heads of each of the 14 departments will have a salary of $30,000 or more a year. In this new reorganization bill, the various boards in the state, such as dental healing art, chiropractors, cosmetologists, reai estate, etc, will keep their independence and have their own boards.

Teacher's retirement remained separate from other retirement boards.

House Bill 25 — the emergency appropriation bill, which passed in the special session, gives more than $8,000,000 to finance the bill to give more aid to dependent children and more aid to the blind.

In the federal take over of Welfare the increase in cost to the state is over $8,000,000. In this take over, 113,000 names were sent to Baltimore where the checks will be issued, and 5,300 Missouri names were lost some way in the transfer, therefore many Missourians did not receive their checks this month. The State Welfare Department said that any recipient who did not receive this January check could go to the county welfare office and if they were in dire need that the welfare office could issue a check to help them until their names are found.

This appropriation covered two welfare bills that were re-enacted in the special session to correct some language in the bills that were passed in the last session but the attorney general had ruled that the wording was illegal. During the special session, the speed limit was set at 55 miles an hour to begin with the federal law, and expire or change as the federal law changes. This was done so that the state highway department could receive their federal funds. If a person drives faster than 55 miles per hour, he or she can be fined, but will not lose points on their driver's license. The state highway department will place plastic covers over the present highway signs and hope to have them in place by the time the law goes into effect.

While the special session action was taking the headlines in all the papers, regular session appropriation's committees have been working long and hard on state budgets, beginning before the regular session even started. In the Senate on Jan. 21, we finished all hearing of State Departments and on Feb. 11 we started executive meetings all day Monday before other Senate members came to Jefferson City and we are staying on Thursdays and Fridays after other legislators leave.

The special session ended Friday and legislators returned Monday to continue work on the regular session, which is already in full progress and has been moving fast since Jan. 9.

There have now been introduced in the House 919 bills and 294 bills in the Senate. There is no way that that many bills could ever be debated on the floor, even though the House committees heard 155 bills in their committees last week and the Senate heard 34 bills.

This session ends April 15 and that is too many bills to be debated in a regular session.

The folloiwng bills that have been introduced in this regular session have been perfected or passed the Senate:

S.B. 336 — a measure that would license and regulate physical therapists. This bill has passed the Senate.

S.B. 346 — would make it a misdemeanor to open a fire hydrant without authorization. Perfected in the Senate.

S.B. 369 — authorizes a land conveyance in Springfield from the regional mental health diagnostic center to United Cerebral Palsy. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 370 — Easement of land in Springfield, Green County, to United Cerebral Palsy from State Department. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 483 — Bill adds one new circuit judge for the 23rd Judicial Circuit. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 421 — provides for the filling of vacancies on the Board of Trustees of the political subdivisions' retirement plan. Passed the Senate.

Senate Joint Resolution 15 — Lowers the voting age to 18 and residency requirement to 30 days. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 333 — The bill that repeals the personal property tax on household goods, wearing apparel, etc. replacing money lost to the local school districts and local governments. This bill has also been perfected in the House. In both bills the funds will be replaced that are lost to local governments. In the House Bill, the money would be replaced by money from the state general revenue funds or federal revenue sharing funds. Sponsor of the bill in the Senate thinks the lost revenue should be trimmed from the Governor's proposed budget. Cost of replacing the lost revenue to local governments is estimated at $14.2 million a year. In 1972 the voters approved a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to repeal the household goods tax, which its opponents say is impossible to collect properly. There was an effort made in the House to eliminate the provision for replacing the money lost to local school districts and governments. But this was lost on a vote of 41-110.

S.B. 436 — this bill would allow the Division of Health to establish regulations for insuring sanitary containers for soft drinks. This bill is perfected.

S.B. 395 — This bill requires that each person filing for an elective office must provide a sworn affidavit covering pertinent personal data at the time of filing and affixed to filing form, with penalty provision and deadline for filing. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 373 — The county assessor bill which provides a pay raise for assessors with the exception of first class counties. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 344 — which provides that easements granted telephone and telegraph companies by cities are to constitute a real property public easement so long as they are used for public utility purposes and that the easements are not to be terminated by any vacation, abandonment or sale by the state or its agencies. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 411 — this bill modifies the provisions of the motor fuel tax as applied to distributors as they apply to procedures for securing refunds. Passed the Senate

S.B. 347 — This measure provides for a second judge for the 20th Judicial Circuit of Franklin, Gasconade and Osage Counties. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 345 — Provides that the unexpended balance in the grade crosing fund at the end of each fiscal year would not revert to the general revenue, but accumulate in the fund from year to year. Perfected in the Senate.

S.B. 419 — bill would add the investment of retirement and pension funds in life insurance common stock to allowable uses for funds for investment. Passed the Senate.

SCS for S.B. 420 — Bill places restrictions on the dismissal of court actions by a plaintiff. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 423 — Bill would allow pension systems to invest funds in life insurance stocks. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 438 — bill would allow lower age of majority from 21 to 18 providing all the privileges, rights and immunities and, subject to all the obligations, liabilities and responsibilities of adulthood has been perfected in the Senate.

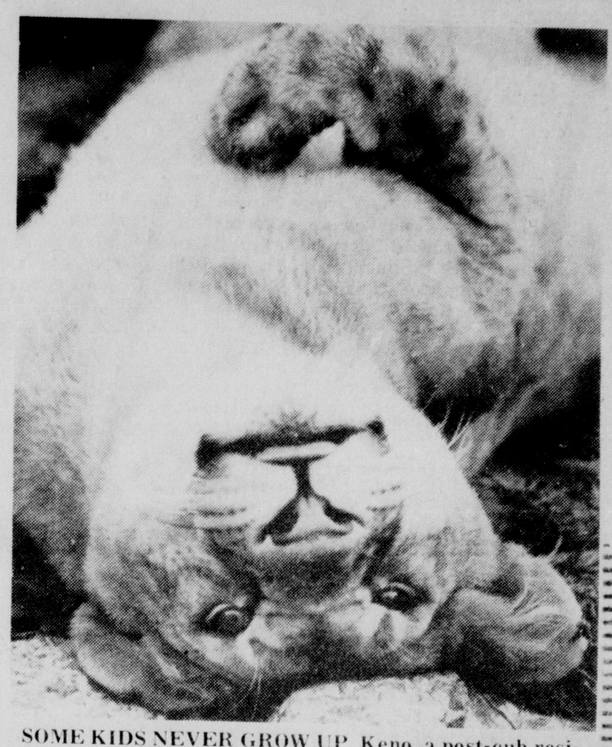
S.B. 483 — Adds one new circuit judge for Jefferson and Washington Counties, making three for the circuit. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 430 — would measure the salaries of employees of the state division of workmen's compensation. Passed the Senate.

There are eight bills that have passed the Senate that apply to pay raises in St. Louis and do not affect my area.

When a bill is perfected in the Senate there is usually no trouble in getting the bill passed. It then goes to the House; is assigned to a House Committee and if passed out of there goes to the floor for debate and passage. If it is amended over there it is sent back to the Senate for the Senate to accept the amendments or ask for a conference committee.

The pesticide bill, which I introduced again this year really is a compliance bill with the Federal Pesticide Law passed October 5, 1972. Missouri must have some type of pesticide legislation.



SOME KIDS NEVER GROW UP. Keno, a post-cub resident of the St. Petersburg, Fla., Aquatarium plays upside-down games with the photographer.

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COOKING-UP

Readers,

This week is a time for baking hearts and flowers and saying "I Love You" with a personal touch, like whipping up some dreamy dessert for that special someone. Most of the recipes included are simple and relatively quick to fix, so the chief cook and bottle- washer can also have a day of companionship.

Happy Valentine's Day!

Judy Stricklin

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Hearts of Gold are luscious heart- shaped cakes you can bake in either individual petits fours sizes or as a large layer cake. Fresh orange juice and rind give them their light, golden color and sparkling flavor that are in tune with the holiday.

If you choose to make the layer cake, top it with a fluffy Orange Seven- Minute Frosting. There's nothing like a homemade frosting to complement the flavor of your homemade cake, and this frosting recipe is the ideal one to bring out the refreshing orange flavor.

The small Hearts of Gold are fun for a Valentine's Day party. Just bake the cake in a jelly roll pan, then cut out two-inch hearts after the cake has cooled. To top off the hearts, choose either Easy Decorators' Frosting, a simple no- cook recipe, or Orange Decorating Glaze, which requires a little cooking.

HEARTS OF GOLD CAKE

2/3 cups soft butter or margarine
1¾ cups sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon grated orange rind
2¾ cups unsifted all-purpose flour
2½ teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
1¼ cups orange juice

In large bowl cream together butter and sugar. Beat in eggs, one at a time. Add orange rind. Mix together flour, baking powder and salt; blend into creamed mixture alternately with orange juice, beginning and ending with flour.

For large cake: Turn into two greased and floured nine-inch. heart- shaped, laver cake pans. Bake in 350- degree oven 45 to 50 minutes, until cake pulls away from side of pan and springs back when pressed lightly with finger. Cool 10 minutes; remove from pans and cool completely. Fill and frost with Orange Seven- Minute Frosting. Outline rim of cake with Candied Orange Peel.

For small cakes: Turn into greased and floured 15x10x1-inch baking pan. Bake in 350-degree oven 40 minutes, until cake pulls away from side of pan and springs back when pressed lightly with finger. Cool 10 minutes; turn out of pan and cool completely. Cut out two- inch hearts with cutter or follow paper pattern. Frost with either Easy Decorators' Frosting or Orange Decorating Glaze.

Yield: one layer cake or three dozen petits fours.

ORANGE SEVEN-MINUTE FROSTING

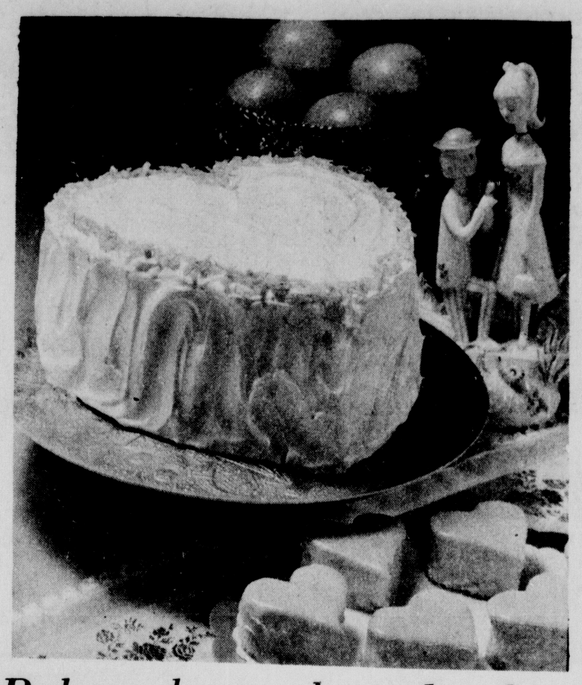
1½ cups sugar
2 egg whites
5 tablespoons orange juice
1/8 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon almond extract

Mix sugar, egg whites, orange juice and salt in top of double boiler. Beat with electric mixer or rotary beater until sugar is dissolved. Place over boiling water and cook, beating constantly, for seven minutes, or until frosting will stand in peaks. Remove from water. Add almond extract and beat until thick enough to spread.

CANDIED ORANGE PEEL

1 cup slivered orange rind
½ cup water
½ cup sugar

Remove thin outer rind of four or five oranges, using vegetable peeler to cut off rind in thin strips. Cut strips into slivers with scissors or knife. Combine with water and sugar in small saucepan. Stir over low heat until sugar dissolves. Simmer 10 minutes, until candied. Turn out onto waxed paper and cool.



Bake a heart-shaped cake

Beautiful hearts of gold set the theme for a St. Valentine's Day celebration.

EASY DECORATORS' FROSTING

1 box (1 pound) confectioners' sugar
½ cup orange juice

Mix sugar and orange juice together until smooth.

ORANGE DECORATING GLAZE

3 cups granulated sugar
¼ teaspoon cream of tartar
1½ cups orange juice
1 teaspoon vanilla
4 cups sifted confectioners' sugar

Combine sugar, cream of tartar and orange juice in heavy saucepan. Cook, stirring constantly, until sugar dissolves. Cook without stirring over medium heat to 226 degrees. Cool to lukewarm (110 degrees). Add vanilla; beat in confectioners's sugar.

CUPID'S CREAM PUFFS

½ cup margarine
½ tsp. salt
1 cup water
1 cup sifted flour
4 eggs

In medium saucepan heat margarine and water until margarine melts. Add salt and flour and stir vigorously over low heat until mixture leaves sides of pan.

Remove from heat and add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition until smooth and shiny.

Drop mixture by spoonfuls about three inches apart on ungreased cookie sheet, shaping into ball.

Bake in 400- degree oven for 50 minutes and cool on wire rack.

To serve, slice top off cream puff and fill with the Heavenly Orange Filling. Replace top and sprinkle with confectioners'sugar.

HEAVENLY ORANGE FILLING

1 pt. heavy cream
1¼ cups sifted confectioners' sugar
6 oz. can thawed orange juice concentrate, undiluted.
¼ tsp. almond extract, optional

Whip cream until stiff. Gradually beat in confectioners' sugar.

Fold in undiluted orange concentrate and extract.

DIVINITY

(color this pink for the occasion)

Pint jar marshmallow creme
3 tbsp. water
2 cups powdered sugar
½ cup chopped nuts
tsp. vanilla

Beat marshmallow cream, water and vanilla at high speed on electric mixer until stiff peaks are formed. Add drop of red food coloring, if desired, for coloring.

Fold in powdered sugar and nuts.

Drop by teaspoonsful on waxed paper and let stand until firm.

This orange- flavored cake is full of raisins, walnuts and has an orange juice ingredient in the cake base.The topping is a sugar and nut combination.

ORANGE VALENTINE'S CAKE

6-oz. can thawed orange juice concentrate
1 cup sugar
2 cups flour
1 tsp. soda
1 tsp. salt
½ cup shortening
½ cup milk
2 eggs
1 cup raisins
½ cup chopped walnuts

Combine one- half cup orange concentrate with remaining ingredients in large mixing bowl. Blend for 30 seconds at low speed: then increase speed to medium and beat three minutes.

Pour into greased and floured 13x9 inch cake pan and bake at 350- degrees for 45 minutes.

Drizzle rest of orange juice over warm cake and then top with following topping.

SUGAR 'N NUT TOPPING

1/3 cup sugar
1 tsp. cinnamon
¼ cup walnuts

Combine ingredients in bowl and sprinkle over warm cake.

LOVE PUNCH

2 10-oz. pkgs. frozen sliced strawberries
2 6-oz. cans (undiluted) thawed orange juice concentrate
1 qt. ginger ale

Puree strawberries in blender or sieve and blend in orange concentrate. Add ginger ale. Makes about six to eight glasses.

Coffee Corner by Cherie

"Mary - Mary quite contrary, how does your garden grow?" "with silver bells and cockle shells all standing in a row!"

Sorry, I think that somewhere between the pages of Mother Goose and this column a few lines of the above have been slightly altered, but since its been awhile (thank goodness), since I had to read from Mother Goose I can't help it if my memory isn't but a half inch long and I forget easily — so please forgive.

Anyway, what brought that little rhyme to mind this week was my wonderful husband, who arose from the dinner table the other evening, picked up the telephone and informed our neighbor as well as myself that tonight was 'Green House Night' and to hurry up and do our dirty dishes so we could get out there and do his dirty work. Now Charles loves his greenhouse as much as he loves me, but when it comes time to clean up summer's mess and really get down to straightening things up for winter's heavy planting he opens the door wide and then, and only then, he invites Judy and me in with open arms. However, when the little goodies start growing and are fun to play with he locks the door and won't let us near his prizes with a ten foot pole! Tonight — tonight was another matter, however, the floor needed weeded, the flats needed filled, the shelves needed dusted, the bugs needed sprayed, and as an extra bonus for us when we finished all that he sat on a stool (which had been cleaned off by guess who), and like a fat, hairless Hitler handed out some 2,000 seeds of different varities for us to plant, water, date and catalog. Well, we finally finished, and then exhausted staggered out leaving Charles to check everything over and tuck his plants and seed babies in for the night — what a tyrant!! That rhyme should go — "Charlie - Charlie - very contrary — how does your garden grow?" "With Judy and Cherie doing the work, and me reaping the flowers they sow!"

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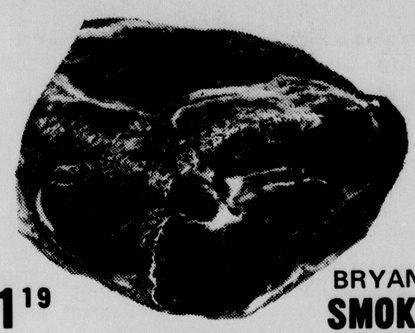

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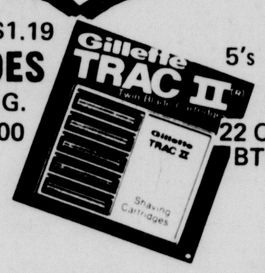

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1 Make	31 Useful	61 Solace
2 Seek	32 Paint	62 Commune
3 Romance	33 Discordant	63 And
4 Begin	34 Of	64 New
5 Chores	35 Solitude	65 With
6 Don't	36 Got	66 Nature
7 Don't	37 Important	67 Making
8 Don't	38 Children	68 Trends
9 Carry	39 Strain	69 Change
10 Old	40 Information	70 Them
11 Put	41 Atmosphere	71 Entertain
12 Allow	42 You	72 Accept
13 Your	43 And	73 Invitations
14 Anyone	44 Be	74 Make
15 Business	45 Alert	75 Your
16 Pleasure	46 Early	76 You
17 Is	47 To	77 Mind
18 Ties	48 Don't	78 Repair
19 Health	49 Your	79 Eager
20 Under	50 Let	80 Pile
21 Furnishings	51 Personality	81 Keep
22 In	52 And	82 Happy
23 Thoughts	53 Sparkles	83 Spectator
24 Problems	54 Today	84 Restyle
25 To	55 Rest	85 And
26 You've	56 Love-	86 Relax
27 With	57 Back	87 Sports
28 Hampered	58 Should	88 Secret
29 By	59 Changes	89 Restore
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ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19 — 26-36-37-40 / 42-58-81-88

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20 — 16-18-22-27 / 38-43-83-87

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20 — 2-35-52-61 / 62-65-66

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LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22 — 7-12-14-25 / 69-75-77

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LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22 — 49-51-53-54 / 71-72-73

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21 — 8- 9-13-15 / 24-57-60

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THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane

"I don't like tea. Let's make believe it's somethin' else."

"I THINK ORVILLE'S HAD IT WITH THAT NUTTY DOG."

OUT OUR WAY — by Neg Cochran

Iran

Answer to Previous Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Persian poet
6 Modern Persia
10 Twin of Pollux (myth.)
11 Creature
13 Reluctant
14 Thin plate
15 Persian fairy
16 Heavy weight
17 Crowlike bird
18 Persian settlers in India (var.)
22 Time past
25 Prevarication
26 Set lesson
30 Capital of Iraq (var.)
32 Zoroastrian sacred books
34 Wartime partners
35 French revolutionary
36 Winter vehicle
37 Iranian export item
38 Choose
39 River of Syria
43 Express disapproval
46 Fruit drink
47 Spanish river
51 Zoroastrian deity (var.)
53 King of ancient Persia
55 Traps
56 Fishhooks
57 Greek goddess of discord
58 Spirited horse

DOWN

1 Put aside
2 Jacob's son (Bib., var.)
3 Aweigh (naut.)
4 Dower property
5 Choler
6 Silly
7 Edge
8 Surrounded by
9 Zola heroine
10 Head covering
11 Medicinal plant
12 Jurisprudence
16 Mao ——-tung
19 Winglike parts
20 Frees
21 British gun
22 Near East garments
23 Rancor
24 Make eyes at
27 Concerning (2 wds.)
28 Halt
29 German philosopher
31 Queen of Carthage
32 Mine entrance
33 Valley (poet.)
37 Individual
40 Demolishes
41 Probability (pl.)
42 Worsted fabric
43 Cattle genus
44 French river
45 Persian poet, —— Khayyam
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52 Swiss canton
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54 Emmet

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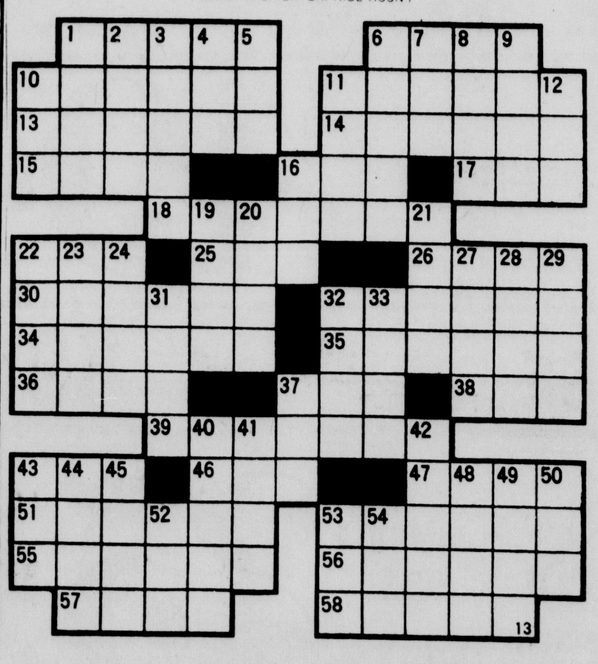

Today in U.S. history

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Wednesday, Feb. 13, the 44th day of 1974. There are 321 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1689, the English Parliament adopted a bill of rights.

On this date:

In 1633, the Italian astronomer, Galileo, arrived in Rome and was detained by the Roman Catholic inquisition.

In 1635, the first public school in America, the Boston Public Latin School, was founded.

In 1741, Andrew Bradford of Philadelphia published the first American magazine.

In 1920, the League of Nations recognized the perpetual neutrality of Switzerland.

In 1945, in World War II, the Soviets captured Budapest, Hungary, from the Germans after a 50-day siege.

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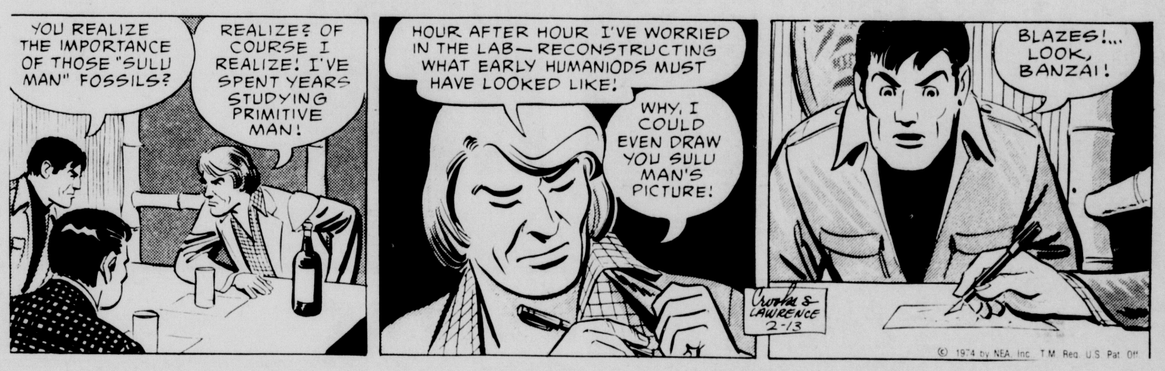

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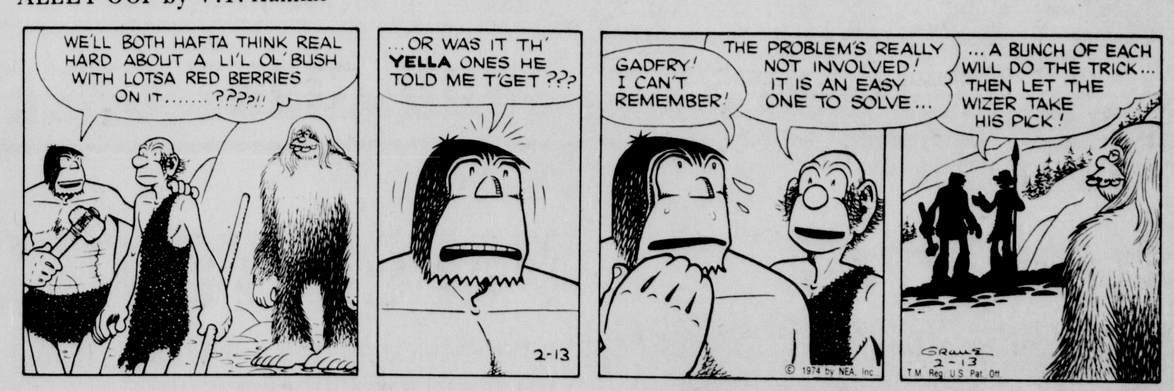

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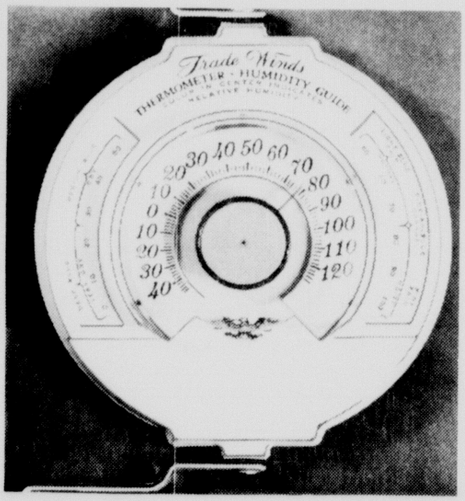

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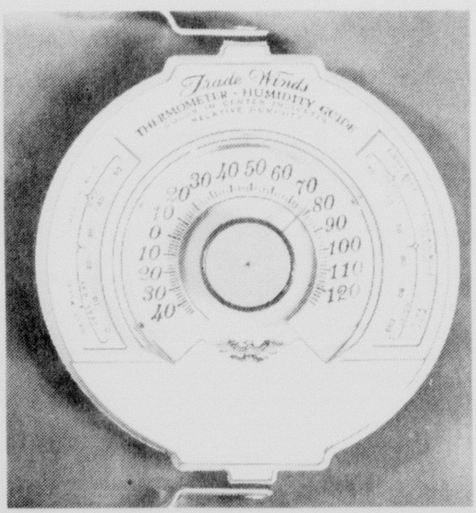

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Just moving across street

Now here's an unusual mobile home! A house at 623 Greer St. was moved this morning, something that doesn't occur much any more. The house was moved across the street to make room for an ice house. Moving the house was Sonny Johnson, driving truck. Former owner Gene Ramsey sat atop the house while it was moved.

(Daily Standard photo by Ron Porter)

House bill would cut sales tax on drugs

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A bill to remove sales tax from prescription drugs received approval from a House committee Tuesday night while two other controversial issues were being heard by other committees.

A proposed constitutional amendment to legalize certain forms of gambling drew strong opposition before the House Constitutional Amendments Committee.

The measure, sponsored by Rep. Earl Schlef, D-St. Louis, would authorize lotteries by religious, charitable and educational non-profit institutions, pari mutuel betting and a state lottery.

Schlef said the amendment is drawn so that the funds received by the state would be directed to use in urban areas for public transportation.

In response to a question from the committee however, he said he would not object to an amendment to allow other purposes for the funds, such as education and mental health.

Schlef estimated net income to the state from a lottery alone would be $35.1 million a year. He based the estimate on a sale of 3 million tickets weekly at 50 cents each.

Dr. Arthur C. Fulbright, pastor of a Columbia Methodist Church, said the United Methodist Church was opposed to the legalization of gambling in any form.

Dr. Hugh Wamble, chairman of the Missouri Baptist Christian Life Commission, said taxes had not been lessened in states which have legalized pari mutuel betting and had increased in some cases.

Mrs. Nell Lockwood of Kirkwood, a representative of the Missourians Against Organized Gambling, said the issue was defeated by the people two years ago and should not be submitted again.

She said the current costs for collecting $1 of tax revenue in Missouri are 1½ to 2 cents. The costs in states with lotteries for each $1 of revenue from the lottery, she said, range from 25 to 40 cents.

In House action, a bill that would exempt the state sales tax on prescription drugs was approved and sent to the floor by the Ways and Means Committee.

The bill's sponsor Rep. Bob Feigenbaum, D-Florissant, said, "it just doesn't make sense to tax a person because he has an illness or disease." He said it would cost the state $3.2 million in fiscal 1974-75 if passed.

Also in the House, Rep. J. B. "Jet" Banks, D-St. Louis, called for a bill that would require newspapers to give equal space for replies by candidates who are "attacked" in news or editorial columns. Action on the bill was expected today, committee Chairman Harold Holliday, D-Kansas City, said.

Banks told the House Civil and Criminal Procedures Committee that the St. Louis press had been guilty of attacks on candidates and public office holders. He said persons attacked had no recourse for rebuttal and if they can't reply their First Amendment rights are abridged.

Secretary of State James Kirkpatrick said candidates do have recourse if they would write letters to the editors. He publishes a paper in Lamar, Mo.

Kirkpatrick called the bill "an injustice to all the newspapers of the state" because it is aimed only at specific papers.

Banks said he had asked St. Louis papers for space for letters and was refused.

The Missouri Senate has said no to Gov. Christopher S. Bond's first reorganization plan filed in connection with the new reorganization bill he plans to sign today.

The governor's office announced a signing ceremony for 1:30 p.m. in the Capitol rotunda.

The compromise state government reorganization bill left out a section in the House bill extending the merit system to the Revenue Department, the state's chief tax collection agency.

But Bond offered a reorganization plan to put all but 30 of the 1,577 Revenue Department employes under the Merit (Civil Service) System. It was defeated in the Senate Tuesday, 21-12. Either House can reject a plan by a majority vote and that kills it.

The House, meanwhile, debated a new school foundation distribution formula all day Tuesday and debate was expected to continue on it today. It would cost from $60 million to $76 million to implement in the first year it goes into effect, 1975-76.

At the top of the calendar for final approval by the House today was a bill to reinstate the death penalty for a dozen specific crimes, only two types of which would be premeditated, first degree murder. They are

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SeMo records first 1974 traffic fatality

A Perryville youth became Southeast Missouri's first 1974 traffic fatality victim Tuesday According to the highway patrol, 14 persons had been killed on area roads and highways at the same time last year.

Four persons were slightly injured in the three other traffic accidents Monday and early today.

Dale Roth, 18, of Perryville Route One was dead on arrival at Perry County Memorial Hospital following an accident at 7:25 p.m. Tuesday on Route A two and a half miles east of Uniontown.

The accident occurred when Roth rounded a curve on a motorcycle, which crossed the center line and sideswiped a car driven by William Bock, 67, of Frohna Route One, who was not injured.

A hit and run accident early today near Puxico resulted in minor injuries to two persons and a search for the missing driver by the highway patrol.

At 12:25 a.m., as Thomas Smith, 33, of Puxico was making a left turn onto a gravel road from Highway 51 four miles south of Puxico, his car was struck in the left side by a car pulling onto the highway from the gravel road.

The patrol said the car apparently had been waiting on the gravel road to come onto the highway.

The driver left on foot, and, according to the patrol, no serial number, license number or any kind of sticker was found on the abandoned car.

Smith and a passenger, Charles Johnson, 32, of Puxico, suffered minor injuries and were treated and released at Dexter Memorial Hospital.

Patricia Huddleston, 21, of Poplar Bluff received minor injuries at 8 p.m. Tuesday when her car ran off Highway 60 four miles east of Poplar Bluff and struck a utility pole.

She was taken to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

A one- car accident at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday resulted in minor injuries to Donald Cade, 21, of Broseley.

The patrol said Cade lost control of his car which struck a bridge abutment.

He was taken to Veterans Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

City taxes, fees total $89,732

The city collected $89,732 in taxes and fees in January, City Collector C. W. Martin said today.

Current collections totaled $61,760, including $46,516 for real estate, $12,509 for personal property and $2,735 for merchants and manufacturers taxes.

Back tax collections included: real estate, $2,133; personal property, $465; and merchants and manufacturers, $1.74.

License collections totaled $12,089, including merchants, $1,038; automobile, $10,882; and dog, $168.

Miscellaneous collections totaled $13,280, including: interest, $377; clerk costs, $35; New Madrid County Railroad and utility taxes $766; Missouri Utilities, $8,466; and Associated Natural Gas, $3,634.

Attendance returning to normal

Student attendance returning to normal after the flu went through the Sikeston R-6 school system late last week and early this week.

"We are very much over the hump now," Robert Miller, director of elementary education said today, "absenteeism is back to 10 per cent or below."

The high school and junior high school have escaped most of the flu. The absenteeism rate at the schools is not appreciably greater than normal, according to Roger Sherman, principal of the high school.

"We haven't had a bad day so far," he said.

Absenteeism at Southeast Elementary School remains above 10 per cent, Miller said, but the flu hit the school later than it did the others.

Miller said on the worst days, Friday and Monday, 250 to 270 students were absent from the elementary system. There are about 2,300 children in the elementary schools.

2 escapees sought

NEW MADRID-- Two escapees from New Madrid County jail are being sought today by the county sheriff's department and the highway patrol

The men identified as Frederick William Ayers Jr., 19, and Daniel Louis Smith, 19, of Michigan are thought to have escaped sometime before 11 p.m. Tuesday night.

According to sheriff's deputies, the men knocked out a light fixture in the ceiling of their cell, climbed into the attic, knocked a hole in a ventilator and crawled out onto the roof. They managed to get to the roof of a lower porch where they jumped off and fled on foot.

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Mayors discuss garbage pickup, radio monitors

MORLEY— Everett Bucy, sales manager for Bucy Sanitation Equipment Sales at Rector, Ark., spoke to the Scott County Mayors Association Tuesday night about a truck suitable for small towns garbage pickups and Glenn Greene, director of the Scott County Civil Defense Program, talked to the mayors about purchasing radio monitors for use during emergency situations.

Bucy told the mayors that the approximate cost of the truck would be $8,500 to $8,900, depending on the equipment desired.

"The truck is a small unit that is simple to operate safely, requires little maintenance and is perfect for a small town," Bucy remarked.

Greene said the radios cost $150 per unit, but that state and federal disaster assistance is available that would cut the local cost to $75.

Greene said schools, fire departments, police departments and hospitals under the assistance programs are eligible to receive a monitor.

"A monitor will be attached to the Scott County sheriff's office in Benton and, when an emergency situation arises, it will be broadcasted over the radio," Green said.

Greene added that radio or television stations can warn people during the day, but that some small communities have no way of letting people know of an emergency during night hours.

Park director needed

CHARLESTON — The City Council Tuesday night discussed the hiring of a recreation director and park attendant heard a report from the urban renewal director, adopted election ordinances and named Police Chief Bob Richey director of the auxiliary police unit.

An ordinance was adopted to set April 2 as the date for the city's general election to elect two councilmen for three-year terms.

The terms of Councilmen Lowell Nicholas and Wyman Beasley are expiring.

Also adopted was an ordinance setting March 19 as primary election date, if more than four candidates file for the two positions.

The council adopted an ordinance establishing the city's five voting precincts and an ordinance adding annexation of property south of Highway 62 and northwest of Interstate 57, owned by Charleston Development Corp., to the ballot for the general election.

Development of Lincoln Park will cost an estimated $3,500, according to a report given by Don Daughhetee, chairman of the park board. This would include resurfacing of tennis and basketball courts, goals and lighting. Daughhetee also said a full- time recreation director is needed, and the council suggested that school officials be contacted to see if something might be worked out between the schools and the city.

Vandalism at Hillhouse Park was discussed, and it was agreed that location of the park in an unpopulated area has created a need for full-time supervision to combat increasing vandalism.

The council voted to offer free parking space in the park for a mobile home, water and sewer services, plus payment of the base price for telephone service in return for supervision over the park. Acting City manager Willis Downs was instructed to take and screen applications.

Tanna Parish, urban renewal director informed the council that 14 areas,

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Firemen answer 3 calls

Firemen were called to extinguish a burning shed this morning and burning clothes in a dryer Tuesday night.

At 5:25 a.m. today, firemen were called to extinguish a fire in a burning shed behind the Rev. P. W. Henderson home, 315 Luther St.

Firemen were able to extinguish the fire before it destroyed the building. A second shed nearby was not damaged.

Firemen said the fire may have been caused by trash burning in a barrel between the two sheds.

Fire Chief Larry Linnemeyer said police officers Ed Webb, Ray Merrick, W. J. Harrington and Marshall Moore provided valuable assistance to firemen.

At 7:25 p.m. Tuesday, firemen were called to the Bennie Walker Jr. home, 711 Hickory Drive, when clothing ignited in a clothes dryer.

Firemen said the dryer was heavily damaged and the house suffered smoke damage.

Firemen were also called to a grass fire shortly after 1 p.m. Tuesday on Warner Street.

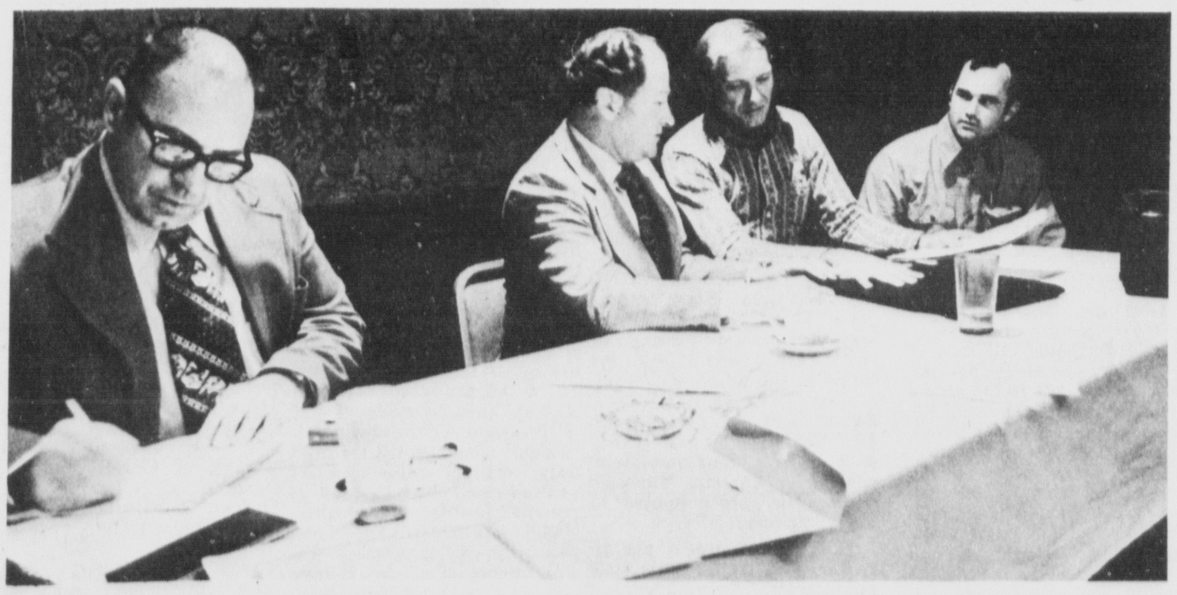
Advance to vote on marshal

ADVANCE — Residents of Advance will go to the polls Tuesday to cast ballots in a special election called to decide whether the office of town marshal should be an elective or appointive office.

Voters from both wards will vote at the city hall.

Fire under control

Sikeston Fire Chief Larry Linnemeyer works with a backpacked spray gun to control a large grass fire on Warner Street Tuesday afternoon. The fire department plans to control grass fires but to allow them to burn off the fields where and if they happen. High winds and dry conditions recently have combined with open burning to start several grass fires in Sikeston. (Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)



State ag aviation officers

New officers for the Missouri Agricultural Aviation Association were elected at the annual business meeting held Tuesday in Sikeston. They are from left: Jim Hall of Hayti, secretary- treasurer; K. J. Woods of East Prairie, elected to the board of directors and outgoing president; James G. "Pete" Malone of Sikeston, president; and Kenneth McDowell of Charleston, vice president. (Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

It's inside.....

Area hairdressers will meet for spring educational roundup at Poplar Bluff this weekend. For business news, turn to...pages 10 and 18.

Sikeston High School basketball team sets fieldhouse scoring record. Turn to. .page 6.

Heart- shaped cakes and Love Punch recipes are included in today's Cooking-Up column for that special valentine. Turn to...page 21.

.....and outside

Increasing cloudiness tonight, colder by morning with the low in the mid 30s. Winds north to northwest, 5-12 mph. Chance of showers late tonight and Thursday. Sharply colder Thursday, high from low to mid 40s. Probability of precipitation 30 per cent tonight, 40 per cent Thursday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Chance of rain Saturday. Cold Friday, warmer over weekend. Low Friday in the 20s, high in the 40s; Saturday and Sunday lows around 30and highs up from upper 40s to mid 50s.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 65 and 34 degrees.

Sunset today ..... 6:36 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...7:49 a.m.
The moon, at Last Quarter today, rises tomorrow at--- 2:18 a.m.
Jupiter, the largest planet, is now almost directly beyond the sun and about 561 million miles from the Earth today, its greatest distance this year.

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Wednesday, February 13 — 1544, William and Mary of Orange are drafted into the Navel Reserve.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Hardest thing to keep on the tracks is a train of thought.

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Pollution is a household word today. We have air pollution, noise pollution, water pollution, mind pollution. So we have troubles today but we live a life of ease compared to the heroes of yesteryear. Join with the Daughters of the American Revolution in celebrating February as American History Month and be thankful for our liberty won by our heroes when living was harder but pollution was unknown.

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If the newspaper reports are to be believed it looks like Senator Scott who is the minority leader in the Senate is treading on close and dangerous ground in supporting Nixon as heavily as he is. I don't know, of course, I think that it would be a lot better if the Democrats kept their mouths shut about impeachment and his resignation and left it up to the Republicans to get rid of him because he is the boy that is going to retire a lot of the Republicans in Congress this year.

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Charlie Henson, Lord Mayor of North Dogtrot confides that he guesses that he won't be going anywhere this year except into debt.

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GET INVOLVED
FOR THEM:

February is Anniversary Celebration Month: It's anniversary time for the Boy Scouts of America, and 5,100 members in the Southeast Missouri Council will observe its 64th birthday during the month of February.

For the first year of its participation in America's bicentennial program, the Boy Scouts of America is emphasizing Get Involved for Them.

GIFT, which comes from the initials of the emphasis, represents an opportunity for the Scouting people to recognize those who contribute so much to the community. During the 64th Anniversary Celebration of the Boy Scouts of America in February, the Scouts are looking both to non-Scouting as well as Scouting groups to commend accomplishments.

It's surely a long list in our area, but pride should be taken, too, in the accomplishments of Scouting's leaders and the organizations that use the Scouting program.

Over the years, Scouting has made a major contribution to the Nation, and it's success in keeping up- to - date in its activities also should be commended by all our citizens.

In fact, we'd say that Scout people probably lead the list of those who get involved for community betterment.

We wish the Boy Scouts of America a "happy birthday," and salute the leaders and organizations that make it possible. They are interested in youth and are doing something about it.

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This imaginative — and perhaps effective — lost- and - found ad appeared in the Calgary Albertan: "Whoever picked up brown cowboy boots in Academy Parkade Tuesday is invited to call to get information on treatment of the rare foot disease he now has."

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According to a news report, interest on the public debt cost U. S. taxpayers $10.3 billion in 1963. For 1973 they will have to shell out an estimated $23.4 billion.

This makes any taxpayer ask: Will there ever be a majority of members in Congress to reduce federal spending and reduce the national debt?

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After stumbling around in the dark in recent mornings since Daylight Saving Time became effective, we don't want to sound unpatriotic but whoever rammed this measure through the Congress to save on energy must be a nut.

As we watch school children walk in the dark as well as those who wait for their school bus pickup in the darkness on rural roads and street corners, it should make us realize that local communities are caught in the middle of frustrating federal regulation. If using electricity and heat in the morning darkness isn't as wasteful as the early evening darkness before DST, then we'd like some expert to explain this to us.

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Over the years, we have observed that strange disease known as Potomac Fever has claimed many a congressman. It seems that once a legislator has made Washington his stomping grounds, he is loath to leave it -- even when voters retire him.

Thus many ex-congressmen crop up on Capitol Hill as lobbyists for various interests after a defeat at the polls. According to the Wall Street Journal, most congressmen- turned - lobbyists have two natural advantages: a knowledge of the customs of Congress and, because of their privileges as former lawmakers, easy access to the congressmen themselves. Apparently, they are more effective than competitors who have never served in Congress.

It seems once the bureaucratic bug invades the bloodstream, it is hard to shake it. This fact substantiates the fear that the federal government has a natural tendency to grow, its ranks swelling each year with new legislators and bureaucrats, not to mention the lobbyists who come to town to deal with them. We may be short of everything else, but the supply of federal control over American lives is still growing by leaps and bounds.

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Her folks are all right if a woman is more attentive to her husband's wants after she returns from visiting them.

"Fancy meeting you here."

TOMORROW

FEBRUARY 14—THURSDAY

ARIZONA: ADMISSION DAY. Feb. 14. Became 48th State on this day in 1912.

NATIONAL KRAUT & FRANKFURTER WEEK. Feb. 14-23. Purpose: To promote the century - old alliance of kraut and frankfurters. Sponsor: Natl. Kraut Packers Assn., 108 1-2 E. Main St., St. Charles, Ill. 60174. Info. from: Theodore R. Sills, Inc., 1 E. Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. 60601.

OLD CANDLEMAS. Feb. 14. Candlemas under Old Style Calendar.

OREGON: ADMISSION DAY. Feb. 14. Became 33rd State on this day in 1859.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY. Feb. 14. Celebrates the festival of two saints of this name martyred by the Roman Emperor Claudius on the same day.

VITICULTURISTS' DAY [TRIFON ZAREZAN]. Feb. 14. Throughout Bulgaria. Celebrated since Thracian times, festivities are based on cult of Dionysus, god of merriment and wine.

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WOULD TURN
IN HIS CASKET

If the Father of Our Country could wake up at Mt. Vernon, and look at the calendar, wouldn't he be surprised that his birthday is being observed on Monday, February 18. He also would be shocked at how the President of United States is now looked upon, and marvel that Washington, D. C., is only one of the three homes used by the so-called leader of his country. We feel sure the man who changed the 13 colonies into the United States of America, would prefer to rest in peace in that pink casket at Mt. Vernon.

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SANCTIONING UNION
VIOLENCE

With Americans more independent than ever before, keeping rank - and - file wage earners and small businessmen "in line" has become an obsession with union professionals.

As an official of one international union recently admitted in an unusual moment of candor with a Washington Post reporter, "We beat the - - - - out of them," when certain workers defy union orders.

From the volume of news accounts which daily cross our desk, this way of dealing with men and women who arouse the displeasure of union officials has become standard operating procedure all across the country.

It is very clear that many union organizers restrict their use of violence only to the extent that they feel they must in order to keep from getting thrown into jail.

Sometimes it works for them, occasionally it backfires In St. Joseph, Mo., an act of sabotage against an employer who refused to discriminate against workers who didn't want to join a union, left a union representative dead when the shotgun he and his buddies used to carry out their "rat raid" accidentally discharged in their auto. An international union representative was reportedly imported to St. Joseph expressly to help plan and carry out the raid.

As the local St. Joseph News- Press remarked: "The presence of an international man indicates sanctioning of such tactics by the international union. He had no business here, either as the instigator of the sabotage mission, as a participant in it, or merely as someone with knowledge of it."

Like many instances of officially sanctioned union violence, compulsory unionism was the key factor in St. Joe. The "rat raid" was prompted by the refusal of a small businessman to agree to force his workers to join a union they wanted no part of. It was a small but deadly chapter in a story that has criminal investigation files bulging nationwide.

Also in recent weeks; Florida State Rep. Lewis Earle of Orlando reports threats on his life prompted by his efforts to erase illegal discrimination against local employees who refuse to be coerced into joining a union. In Colorado, recent incidents of violence - all linked to a strike called by union bosses to enforce their demand for a compulsory union shop contract - have included"a fire bombing in front of a ... (worker's) home, several windows shot out in the homes of employees who cross picket lines, broken car windows," and a bombing which completely demolished the auto of one of the workers who was led the opposition to compulsory unionism. From coast to coast, the story is the same.

As Senator John McClellan (D-Ark.) reported to the nation after the conclusion of the famous labor- rackets hearings several years ago: "Compulsory unionism and corruption go hand in hand."

Today we must add the word violence — and the saga of an unending barrage of bombings, beatings, gunshots and threats that are a matter of international union policy, carried out to force workers into unions they don't want. It's not a happy picture...

Unfortunately, so long as our nation continues to operate under a federal labor policy which protects and encourages force and coercion by union officials against individual citizens, this sorry spectacle will continue to worsen.

Congressman Sam Steiger (Ariz.) and 24 of his colleagues in the House, and Sen. William Scott (Va.) have moved to solve this problem with new legislation which would outlaw forced union membership — and thereby restore control of unions to the members, who would be free to respond to abusive "leaders" by quitting, and still keeping their jobs. But so far, union - controlled Members of Congress in tragic positions have been able to prevent even public hearings on the much- needed proposal.

Meanwhile, we must sadly report the bombings, beatings and shootings by paid union "goons" continue to take their tragic toll.

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If present oil prices and distribution patterns are maintained, a world economic service reports that Arab oil-producing countries could corner up to 70 per cent of the world's currency reserves by 1980.

There is evidence that many of the oil exporting nations do not appreciate the gravity of the situation. Both Algeria and Venezuela have recently called for further increases in the price of oil. The Shah of Iran has indicated that additional increases are in store after April 1.

In a way, you can not blame the Arab oil - producing nations for demanding a better deal. First of all it must be recognized that they possess a depleting asset. When the oil is gone, they have nothing else to sell. Therefore, they must be sure that what they receive for the oil will have lasting value. Yet, in recent years, they have found that currencies they accepted have declined in value either in world markets or in purchasing power.

It can truly be said that we are in the midst of a flight from paper money. Most major currencies have been taking a beating in world money markets. The leading nations of the world must take steps to curb inflation in order to put their currencies on a sound footing. Only when confidence in paper money has been reestablished will the oil sheiks moderate their demands.

In the midst of this environment, the U. S. Treasury made a little noticed announcement. They requested authority from Congress to switch from copper to aluminum in minting the one cent coin. They claim that, because of the rising cost of copper, they can no longer afford to make pennies out of this metal. Does this story sound familiar? It wasn't so long ago that the dollar was backed by gold. More recently, dimes and quarters were made of silver. But, when the sound backing for U. S. currency was removed, the depreciation of its value accelerated. Now we are told that the hard metal in a lowly penny is becoming worth more than the currency itself.

Can anyone really blame the oil- producing nations when they say they don't want any more depreciating paper?

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TALES OF WOE
ON PAY TOILETS

Some laugh about the issue, some are dead serious about it and others don't really care, but if a state representative has his way pay toilets will be out in Missouri.

A bill that would ban pay toilets in places of public accommodation was debated with considerable humor yesterday in the House Committee on Public Health and Safety. The commitee members decided to hold the bill over until the committee's next session.

Rep. Al Mueller (D-St. Louis), sponsor of the bill, contended basically that pay toilets constitute an inconvenience rather than a service.

State Rep. John E. Scott (D-St. Louis), speaking in favor of Muellers bill, recounted a humorous but distressing incident that occurred about 10 years ago in a department store. He was with his young son, he said, who suddenly had to go to the restroom. Inside the restroom Scott found only pay toilets and he had no change.

He solved the immediate dilemma, he said, by throwing his son over the door. But his problems were not over. "Mr. chairman," he said, "I couldn't get him out."

He said he went for change and finally was able to free his son, who was quite distressed.

Four persons spoke in opposition to the bill. A representative of a firm that manufacturers and leases toilet locks said open stalls invite vandalism. Officials of Greyhound Bus Lines and Continental Trailways said the cost of maintaining restrooms exceeds the revenue generated through pay toilets.

J. H. (Joe) Serviss, a lobbyist for Kansas City, said pay toilets at Kansas City International Airport provide revenue for the city. In addition, he said, pay toilets are more sanitary.

In closing Serviss recalled an adage he thought applied to the matter being considered "In America," he said, "you pay as you go."

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Then there was the college student who flunked his final exam because he gave the formula for water as HIJKLMNO. He thought the professor had said H to 0.

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A recent checkup revealed that 19 different songs entitled "Mary Dear" have been copyrighted at various times in the United States. There are 118 different songs copyrighted under the title of "Blue Eyes," and 203 catalogued songs are entitled, "I Love You."

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THEY NEED IT

In reference to the article last week by Charles W. Hucker of The Star's staff regarding the new restroom for the state legislators at Jefferson City, please count me highly in favor of the addition as it seems very evident that use of this room is the only place the legislators know what they are doing. A. B. Weyer

Kansas City Star

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WOMEN'S CLUBS ARE
A SOURCE OF POWER
FOR GOOD, SAYS
LANDIS

"Women's clubs are a tremendous source of power for good," says Lee Landis, women's editor for the National Association of Manufacturers. "Never underestimate the work they do to improve their communities and the nation as a whole."

Miss Landis refutes the idea that women's clubs are gossipy, ineffectual groups interested only in home and personal interests. Over the past five years, readers of NAM's "Program Notes," a free bi-monthly that goes to 20,000 leaders of women's clubs, have sent for thousands of kits and booklets on serious subjects.

The most popular booklets recently have been "Energy — the Need Is Now"; "Career Education — A New Concept of Teaching"; "It's Your Money They Spend!" and "Questions and Answers for Consumers."

The booklets are used by clubs for one or a series of programs. Over the past two years more than 40,000 requests from women's clubs for booklets and speeches on vital issues have been filled.

A newly revised Program Manual lists the current free material for volunteer organizations and may be obtained by writing Miss Lee Landis, National Association of Manufacturers, 277 Park Ave., New York, N. Y. 10017

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WHEN DO WE
GET OLD

Physiologists tell us that in all mammals, except man, the period of life is five times the period of growth. A dog gets its full growth in two years, and lives ten; a horse in five years, and lives twenty- five. On this basis a man should live from one hundred to one hundred and fifty years.

But Willism James, an eminent psychologist, said that most men are "old fogies" at twenty-five. It is true that most men at twenty- five are satisfied with their jobs. They have accumulated the little stock of prejudices that they call "principles" and close their mind to new ideas. They have ceased to grow.

When a man ceases to grow, no matter what the years, then and there he begins to be old.

But the really great men never cease to grow. Bismark, who died at eight-three, did his greatest work after he was seventy. Titian, the celebrated painter, lived to be ninety-nine painting right up to the end Goethe passed on at eight-three and finished his "Faust" only a few years earlier. Gladstone took up a new language when he was seventy. Laplace, the astronomer, was still at work when death caught up with him at seventy- eight." He passed on crying, "What we know is nothing; what we do not know is immense."

These men, and thousands like them, died young. They were still unsatisfied, still growing.

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We have often wondered why men lie about each other. The plain truth would be bad enough.

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"Good heavens," said the sweet young girl, "70 isn't old for a millionaire!"

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It isn't the incompetent who destroy an organization. The incompetent never get in a position to destroy it. It is those who have achieved something and want to rest upon their achievements who are forever clogging things up.

H.L. Hunt

BREZHNEV IN CUBA

Leonid Brezhnev, strong man of the Soviet Union, has paid a state visit to Cuba where he was feted by a younger but also dangerous communist, Fidel Castro. It was Brezhnev's first trip to Cuba and he messaged his greetings to the people of the United States as his plane passed near the Florida coast. As this was written, it was not known what the outcome of his sessions with Castro would be but it was safe to assume that neither communist leader was thinking in terms of advancing U. S. interests.

It is believed that Cuba, impoverished by more than a decade of communism and Castro rule, is costing the Soviet over $1 million a day. That is a costly thorn for Russia to keep in the side of the U. S. Cuba under Castro was to have been a base for the export of communist intrigue and revolution to Central and South America. The plan has not been successful. Our neighbors to the South, with the exception of Cuba, have remained independent.

Sentimentally, the peoples of Cuba and the United States remain strong despite Castro. Hope remains that Cuba shall be free again one day. We should keep that hope alive. If there are proposals for detente with the Castro regime, Congress and the American people should take a long hard look before they accept it. The internal affairs of other nations should not be dictated by the U.S., but Americans will remember that Castro and the Russians implanted rockets aimed directly at our heart only a few years ago. Americans also remember the enslavement of thousands of freedom- loving Cubans and the murder of many others. Castroism would be a tough pill for us to swallow. HLH

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — John Wayne has done battle many times in the more than 200 films he has made since 1929 — as a Western hero in 150 of them, but, in his latest, "McQ," as a detective.

His biggest battle, however, has been during the last nine years against what he calls the "Big C" — lung cancer.

If he were to put life into one word, he would say "exciting."

"Since that cancer operation, it is awfully nice to wake up in the morning."

His philosophy in short: "I try to live my life to the fullest without hurting anybody else. I try not to unintentionally hurt anybody's feelings. If I do hurt anybody's feelings, I had all intention of hurting them."

He has been a movie star for 43 years and figures he and Jimmy Stewart are the "two top men." He has "No desire at all" to retire and says, "I really enjoy my work. You die if you retire, if not physically, mentally. I am 66 and a hard day's work still appeals to me."

Wayne started acting in high school and gave up aspirations to be a lawyer when he played a part in "Paint Your Wagon."

In 1928, he was on the University of Southern California football team and was put in a film. He says he got great advice from two people in the business, Harry Carey and his wife, Olive. They told him "You have to become the image of the character in the film." Now, he says, it is tough for kids in the business because "they take a young kid and put him in a picture. There is no continuity of leadership anymore."

He thinks his best quality is that he likes people and respects the other fellow's point of view and his worst fault is that he is more highly emotional than he appears and "given a chance I find myself talking too much."

"My public image has been quite heroic; I feel this like a country boy. I suppose that you tend to manage your life and your thinking in a manner that is expected. I would not want mine to be different."

When asked how he feels about the fact that some people picture him as a flag-waver, the 6 foot 4 "Duke" — as his friends call him — sits tall in the saddle and his blue eyes flash. "It annoys me because I have a normal love for my country. I have been in the public view and when people ask questions, I say what I think. This county in 200 years, has taken a wilderness and made it a farm that feeds the world and a factory that defends the world." Wayne was born Marion Michael Morrison in Winterset, Iowa, but left that state at age 4 and has never returned. His father was a pharmacist in Glendale, Calif. He got his nickname as a boy when he walked his dog, Duke, and friends started to call him "Duke."

Washington-Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON & LES WHITTEN SAYS:

$6 Billion Joy Ride

WASHINGTON-- That renaissance man of consumerism, Ralph Nader, has turned temporarily from auto safety to auto fuels and found gasoline companies are taking the United States for a $6 billion joy ride in 1974.

In a draft study, Nader reports the oil companies pay even less tax on their income than President Nixon, while they pump the Treasury for $6 billion in unwarranted tax breaks.

"Taxpayers have been tricked into paying the oil companies and their wealthy investors billions a year through tax subsidies," says Nader's Tax Reform Research Group. Big Oil's friends in Congress try to justify the loopholes by saying they are needed to encourage exploration.

"But the billions...we've spent have utterly failed to prevent the present energy shortage," the Nader report goes on. "Consumers and taxpayers shouldn't always be the fall guys. The...tax subsidies should be scrapped."

For instance, in 1972, Exxon paid 6.5 per cent on $3.7 billion in profits, Texaco paid 1.7 per cent and Mobil paid 1.3 per cent, although corporations are supposed to pay 48 per cent.

And while motorists line up at 6:00 a.m. to pay 50 cents a gallon for "regular," and sleepy- eyed attendants and station managers do their best to keep a stiff upper lip, the oil moguls are reaping 60 per cent higher profits than last year. Their recent 10- cent- a- gallon rise is giving them a $10 billion bonanza, the tax reform group says.

The two most gaping tax loopholes are the famous oil depletion allowance and a provision that permits write- offs of "intangible drilling costs" like labor and transportation in a single year. Most businesses have to spread write- offs over many years.

These two breaks alone "cost the taxpayers $1.6 billion in 1972 and are projected to...a whopping $2.9 billion in fiscal 1975," the report contends.

Another little- known loophole is that oil firms with foreign subsidiaries can count their royalties to Arab and other potentates as taxes and deduct the entire amounts from their U. S. tax bill. This is a little like letting an ordinary taxpayer deduct charitable contributions and doctors' fees from the actual amount of income taxes owned instead of from income.

Far from suffering from the increases of foreign oil prices, the oil companies will be able to reduce their U. S. taxes by $3 billion in 1974 because of this royalty gimmick, the Nader group estimates.

"And we taxpayers have to foot the bill for tax laws that actually deprive us of oil by making it more profitable for oil to be produced and sold aborad," says the study.

President Nixon's "windfall profits" plan actually would only cost the oil companies pennies per barrel even if present profits soar higher, Nader concludes. "In three years the oil companies will pay no tax at all on oil they sell for $7 a barrel. This phase-out will just encourage the oil producers to keep their oil in the ground until the tax...ends completely."

In any case, the Nader group predicts that when the going gets rough, the guileful oil companies will sneak their profits into other parts of their operation such as shipping or refining.

Nader castigates Senate Finance Chairman Russell Long, D- La., an oil millionaire, and his House counterpart, Rep. Wilbur Mills, D- Ark., for paying attention to "their own self interests" instead of the national interest.

While Long has made no secret of his friendship for fellow oil millionaires, Mills has tried to appear more even-handed. Yet, in fact, at Mills' House Ways and Means hearings, witnesses for Exxon, Gulf, Sun and other oil companies were allowed to testify in prime time so their views could beheard by the full committee.

But such devoted consumer advocates as former Treasury tax analysis head Gerard Brannon had to testify at 7:00 p.m., when only four yawning congressmen were present in the committee room.

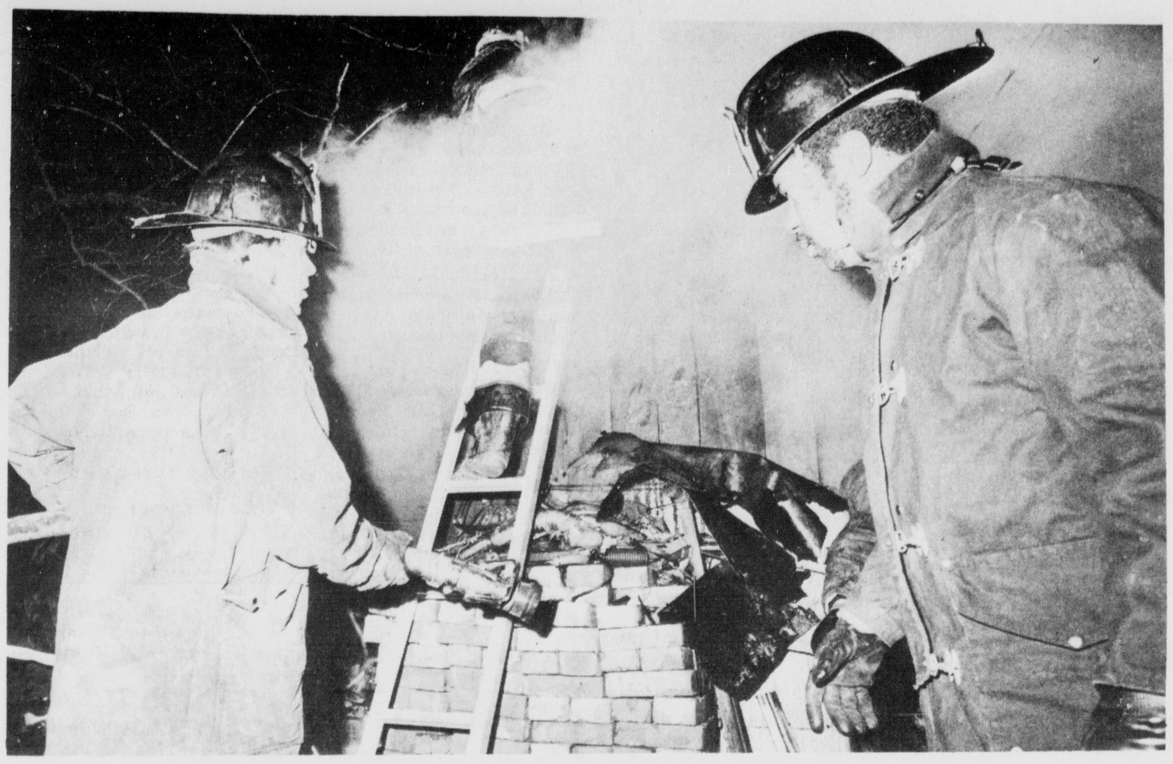
In addition, a new study of Mills' 1972 presidential campaign contributions show that of almost $250,000 known to have been contributed, some $50,000 came from donors connected with energy companies.

Gulf Oil, for example, gave him an illegal contribution of $15,000. Mills, when pressed, returned it.

Records show that C. H. Murphy of Murphy Oil and Edward M. Carey, New England Petroleum president, each gave him $5,000.

One of the men favored with a prime time appearance before Mills' committee was Emilio Colado, executive vice president of Standard Oil of New Jersey, who sweetened Mills' campaign with $500.

FOOTNOTE: The oil executives, and their trade group, the American Petroleum Institute, swear that oil profits are not too high and insist they pay a fair share of taxes.



Firemen battle storage shed fire

Sikeston firemen David Taylor, left; Jim Haley, on ladder; and Robert Bean were part of the firefighting crew that contained a fire in a small storage shed at 315 Luther St. this morning. Firemen were called to the address at 5:35 a.m. when the building caught fire, possibly from trash burning in a nearby trash barrel.

(Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

Crime prevention week

Store ladders inside

Homeowners can keep themselves safe from burglars by storing ladders inside, the Sikeston police department suggests as part of a public information service during Crime Prevention Week.

Ladders should not be left loose outside and, if left outside, should be locked securely. Further protection can be achieved by suggesting that neighbors follow this rule, also.

Articles, such as bicycles or lawn mowers, should not be left on sidewalks, lawn, porch or other easily accessible areas.

Residents should also be alert for unusual activities. If an unknown person is seen loitering around a neighbor's yard, residents should not be afraid to check their identity with the neighbor by phone.

The police department suggests that whether at home or away, garage doors should be kept closed. Open and empty garages usually indicate an empty home and often allows easy access to a cellar or entryway, unseen from the street.

When working in the attic or cellar or any place away from the main area of the house, all doors should be locked.

When leaving, or retiring at night, secure all entrances including cellar doors, windows, garage doors, sun deck and porch doors.

Patio doors should also be secured. They should lock from the inside, but a strip of wood placed into the inside track also will prevent sliding the door open from outside.

Lights can be used effectively to prevent or discourage burglars, the police department reports. When going out, several lights, in different parts of the house, should be left burning. Outside entrance lights and post lights will illuminate possible hiding places around the house.

Effective window locks are another necessity in preventing crime. A safe and unobstrusive lock can be made by drilling through the top of the bottom window sash and the bottom of the top sash and inserting a small nail in the hole.

Homeowners should also vary their routine. If the same routine is followed week after week, a wouldbe burglar may watch movements and know when the house is likely to be empty.

Hialeah's two major stakes during the Florida racing season will be the Widener Handicap on March 23 and the Flamingo on March 30.

Matthews man re-elected council head

NEW MADRID — Dale Geske of Matthews was re-elected chairman of the New Madrid County University of Missouri Extension Council Monday.

Also re- elected were Charles Beis of Portageville, vice chairman, George Dawson of New Madrid, treasurer. Clyde Hawes was elected secretary.

Geske and Hawes were re-elected to two- year terms on the council, along with three new members, Mrs. Ruth Ellen Gee of Lilbourn Route One, Alan Littell of Gideon and Francis Hulshof of Portageville Route One.

Other members presently serving are Mrs. Wilbert Lueker of Catron, Mrs. Nelson Lumsden of Canalou, Mrs. Johnny McWilliams of Lilbourn, C. G. Scott Jr. of Sikeston and Earl Dell of Gideon.

Appointees from four organizations designated for membership by state statute were also certified as members of the council, including Beis, Missouri Farmers Association; Dawson, city of New Madrid; Jerry McGee of Portageville, Farm Bureau; and Raymond Ashley of Catron, County Court.

Council meetings will be held the second Monday of every month, beginning in April. The officers will meet during months the council does not meet.

BARBS

By PHIL PASTORET

A good six-shooter can often clean-up in a dice game.

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Pioneering, '73 style: suffering through a day when the air conditioner is on the blink.

Renovation plan gets tentative approval

DEXTER — A renovation plan to bring the old Dexter water plant up to specifications of the Missouri Clean Water Commission was given tentative approval by the City Council Monday night at a special meeting.

The council voted to approve the preparation of a study and work program for renovation of the water plant, located on Clements Street in east Dexter.

Mayor Willis Conner said the program, when finally completed, is likely to cost approximately $100,000. He said he felt the city could meet this cost out of current funds with no increase in taxes and no bond issue.

The council approved the making of a study and work program by C. R. Trotter and Associates, after engineer Terry Howes explained the problems at the old water plant.

Treatment of the back wash discharge at the water treatment plant will be one of the main projects in the plan, officials said.

The Missouri Clean Water Commission has inspected the plant here for the past several months and has insisted that the improvements and renovations be made, Conner pointed out. The plant has been under study for months, and the renovation program has been expected for two or three years, it was pointed out.

Work is nearing completion on the new water plant and any work on the old water plant will await completion of the new one, it was pointed out.

Ordinance authorizes issuance of revenue

MALDEN — The City Council Monday night passed an ordinance to authorize the issuance $970,000 worth of revenue to pay the balance of the cost of purchasing and installing two dual fuel diesel generators complete with accessories, switch gears and electrical and mechanical installation.

The bond issue was approved by voters in a special election on Jan. 8.

Voters registration will be conducted at the city hall Feb. 22 and Feb. 23, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., for residents of the city of Malden and Cotton Hill township.

Negotiations are in progress for the purchase of property on Highway 62 East to be used as a future site for a new fire station and housing for the city's ambulance.

The city received only one bid on remodeling work in the council room at the city hall. Council members postponed action until the next meeting to allow time to receive additional bids.

5 accident injuries treated

Five accident patients were treated Tuesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Alice Scally, 26, Sikeston, cut right wrist on storm door; Everett Russell, 3, Blodgett, cut forehead while playing; Tommie Hefner, 52, Sikeston, fractured left hip in fall while trimming tree; Frances Green, 47, Sikeston, cut left index finger on kitchen knife; and Mary Lewis, 66, Lilbourn, fractured left hip in fall.

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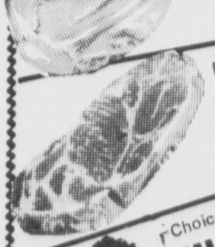

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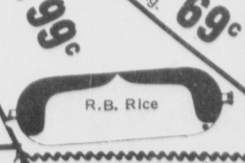

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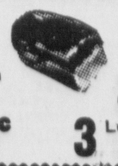

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Ann Landers

Only solution to nagging mate is to play deaf to criticisms

Dear Ann Landers: My husband is a nag. I can't fold a newspaper to suit him. The way I put dishes in the dishwasher is "dumb." I don't brush my teeth long enough. (How long is long enough?) If I forget where I put something he hints that I am losing my mind.

I try to live up to Mr. Perfection's standards but it's impossible. If he ever gave me a compliment I'd die of shock. People generally think of women as naggers, but no woman ever lived who nagged like this man. What causes him to be so super- critical? What can I do to keep his put- downs from getting to me?-- Chewed Out

Dear Chewed: Mr. Perfection's momma probably chewed him out daily and now he's doing it to you. (It's called "transference" in couch language.)

Life with a constant critic is like being nibbled to death by a duck. There's only one way to protect yourself. Play deaf.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a bank employe who would like to comment on "S.C's Secret Bank Account." You suggested that the wife who discovered the "strange" deposit slip in her husband's wallet should hand it to him and say, "How nice that you wanted to surprise me with a little nest egg." I don't agree.

I know several people who have secret bank accounts. The reasons are often legitimate. Sometimes the husband (or wife) is a compuslive spender, or an alcoholic. The stable member of the family may feel the need to squirrel away money for emergencies.

If a husband or wife wants a secret bank account, he will have one. In the case of the woman who wrote, her husband, upon being discovered, would probably open another bank account elsewhere under a fictitious name. If he should die suddenly, the account would be turned over to the government and the wife wouldn't even know about it.

Every bank has untraceable dormant accounts because some customers wanted to keep their banking affairs a secret. I feel sorry for their families.-- Toronto M. P.

Dear Toronto: I bow to your experience and superior judgment. From now on, girls, if you find a deposit slip for a "secret bank account," jot down the name of the bank and keep your trap shut.

Dear Ann Landers: J. and I are both in our mid- 20s and very much in love. Recently a friend of ours needed a blood transfusion. J. and I both went to the hospital to donate blood. We learned that my blood type is O negative and J.'s is B positive. J.'s grandmother is a registered nurse, now retired. She says if we have children they won't survive.

We love children, but we wouldn't adopt. There have been unfortunate incidents in both our families with adopted children. Say what you will about environment, genes play a very big part in behavioral patterns of children.

Please check with your medical consultants and let me know if what J.'s grandmother says is correct.--- Crossed Fingers In Tucson

Dear C.F.: The combination of blood types you describe could produce children with serious blood problems. In the olden days they were called "blue babies" and they died. Today, however, when the doctor knows in advance that the about- to- be- born baby has this blood problem, he can be transfused at birth and live a normal, healthy life.

Even if drinking is the "in" thing in your crowd, it needn't crowd you out. Learn the facts from Ann Landers's booklet, "Booze and You-- For Teen-Agers Only." Send 35c in coin and a long, self- addressed, stamped envelope to Ann Landers, P. O. Box 3346, Chicago, Illinois 60654.

Make a mixture for meat patties from ground beef, soft bread crumbs, egg and finely grated onion; add a little dry red wine instead of the usual milk or water for the liquid.

Delta Gamma valentine queen chosen

Mrs. Paula Huckaba, seated, of 102 Comstock Place was selected valentine queen of Beta Sigma Phi Delta Gamma Chapter Saturday night at the sorority's valentine dance. The dance was given at Holiday Inn by Delta Gamma and Xi Zeta Alpha chapters. Witnessing the coronation, from left, are Greg Comer; Judy Comer, last year's queen; and Dennis Huckaba.

IT'S NOT CORAL, IT'S AN INNERTUBE

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — More than a half-million scrap tires were banded into bundles and dropped in the ocean this year to build artificial reefs off the nation's coasts, according to the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., which provided scrap tires and tire compacting machinery for the projects.

The reefs are now providing havens for numerous species of fish.

HOSPITAL NOTES

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL
CENSUS REPORT 2-13-74

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	121	118	3	0
Pediatrics	23	18	0	5
Obstetrics	14	12	0	2
Intensive Care	7	3	1	3

Patients scheduled for admission today: 13

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY:

Released:
Jamie Harris, Bell City
Eva Bilderback, Sikeston
George M. Nelson, Sikeston
Con L. McArthur, Morley
Robert V. Clark, Malden
Eules C. Ray, East Prairie
Michael Griffin, Bell City
Mae Johnson, Bell City
Connie McClendon, Charleston
Karen D. Benson, Wyatt
Mary L. Blankenship, Parma
Marshall L. Manker, Charleston
Harry L. Robinette, Sikeston
Mrs. Carolyn Day and baby boy, East Prairie
Naomi N. Whitney, Charleston
Marlene D. Duncan, Sikeston
James M. Manker, Charleston
Mrs. Inez Bradley and baby boy, East Prairie
Lloyd Merick, Sikeston

Totals patients discharged	22
Total patients admitted	25
Births	3
EMERGENCY DEPT.	
Accident patients	5
Medical patients	20
Others	10
Total patients seen in the Emergency room	35

CHAFFEE GENERAL:
Admitted:
Charles Campbell, Van Buren
Walter Eggimann Chaffee
Loraine Halter, Chaffee
Patricia Hempstead, Cape Girardeau
Bleinda Lutz, Charleston
Paul Simmons, Oran
Mary Jo Pfefferkorn, Chaffee
Released:
Stella Carroll, Chaffee
Paul Montgomery, Chaffee
Inez Phelps, Cape Girardeau
Zelma Senciboy, Chaffee

DEXTER MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
Jeannie Williams, Bloomfield
Charlie Jones, Charleston
Milton Johnson, Dexter
Bobby Maupin, Bloomfield
Ola Holt, Parma
Dorothy Riddle, Dexter
Wanda Chadwell, Dexter
James Pullum, Essex
Charles Bess, Bloomfield
Michael Barbour, Dexter
Released:
Connie Hodge, Dexter
Barbara Landers, Canalou
Jeannie Williams, Bloomfield
Veronica Raney, Malden

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL:
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Maxine Bradley, Caruthersville
Lula Holland, Caruthersville
Roscoe Eslick, Caruthersville
Paul Hunthouser, Caruthersville
Mattie Brock, Caruthersville
Bill Wrightwell, Caruthersville
Ola Sikes, Portageville
Lacretia Grissom, Portageville
Joana Stewart, Portageville
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Ula Barker, Wardell
Roscoe Dorris, Holland
Dorothy Grant, New Madrid
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Vera Barham, Caruthersville
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Community Calendar

TUESDAY
Newcomers Club will meet at 7 p.m. in front of Osco Drug in Kingsway Plaza Mall. The group will leave at 7:15 for a tour of Murray Lane Ceramics.

TUESDAY
Ladies American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 7 p.m. at the Heritage House.

THURSDAY
Sikeston Chapter No. 137, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple on South Kingshighway.

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Tau chapter chooses valentine queen

Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority crowned Myrtle Nunnelee, left, valentine queen at its annual valentine banquet Saturday at Ramada Inn. She was crowned by Martha Patterson, retiring queen. Nadine Collins, right, was presented roses and a charm as chapter sweetheart for 1974.

Tau has valentine banquet

Tau chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held its annual valentine banquet Saturday at Ramada Inn with husbands as guests.

Tables were decorated with a valentine motif and were centered with the queen and sweetheart thrones.

Nina Marshall of Charleston presented a musical program and was accompanied by Kathy Dawkins at the piano.

Myrtle Nunnelee was crowned valentine queen by Martha Patterson, retiring queen, and Nadine Collins was presented roses and a charm as chapter sweetheart for 1974. Mrs. Marshall sang sweetheart music in honor of the new queen and sweetheart.

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Marla Collins will marry David Whitener

FLAT RIVER — Mr. and Mrs. George Collins announce the engagement of their daughter Marla Susanne to David Lee Whitener, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whitener of Bismarck.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Springs Jr. of Sikeston Route One and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins of Bell City Route One.

Miss Collins is a senior at Central High School in Flat River. Davis, a 1970 graduate of Bismarck High School, is employed by Hanna Mining Co. in Pilot Knob.

A June 22 wedding is planned.

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Marla Collins

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Miss Burke to marry

CHARLESTON — Mr. and Mrs. Jackson L. Burke announce the engagement of their daughter Mary Lee to Paul Edward Vivian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl E. Vivian of Florissant.

Miss Burke is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evin Burke of Sikeston and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Swank of Charleston.

She graduated as valedictorian of Charleston High School in 1971 and is a junior at Central Methodist College in Fayette.

Vivian, a 1969 graduate of McCluer High School in Florissant, graduated from Central Methodist College in Fayette in 1973 and is presently doing graduate work in economics at University of Missouri - Columbia.

The wedding will be solemnized Aug. 3 in the Charleston United Methodist Church.

Mary Lee Burke

New program offers 'midwife' degree

By MARIA BRADEN
Associated Press Writer

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — The University of Kentucky College of Nursing is offering a new program to train nurse midwives.

"There's a nationwide interest in Midwifery," said Elizabeth M. Bear, program co-ordinator. "We already have a stack of inquiries and we get more every day."

The new program, to begin next semester, will lead to a bachelor's and a master's degree in nurse midwifery. The master's degree program is the only one in the state.

Miss Bear said the courses are being offered in response to a growing demand, but that it's hard to pinpoint the reasons for the renewed interest in midwifery.

"It may be the result of the women's movement," she said. "Women want to know more about their bodies and they want to participate in the delivery."

"The nurse midwife has a one-to-one relationship with the mother," Miss Bear said. "She stays with her throughout the delivery, provides followup care for the next few days, and helps establish the family unit."

Women want that kind of relationship, and often have too little time with their physician during pregnancy, she said.

"They have a million questions they want to ask, but when they get to see the doctor he may be rushed," she said. "They feel they're taking his time and all the questions they wanted to ask fly out the window."

Another factor is the relative cost of a nurse midwife, which is a lot less expensive than an obstetrician, Miss Bear said.

Nurse midwives do not practice independently after certification, but within the framework of a health service of some kind, whether urban or rural, she said.

The nurse midwife sees the pregnant woman with a physician present on the first visit. But unless complications occur a woman may not have to see the physician again.

The midwife is trained to do a complete physical and mental assessment of the woman. As long as progress is normal, she cares for the woman throughout pregnancy and stays with her throughout labor.

She also learns to spot deviations from the normal, to apply emergency measures if required — and then calls in a physician.

"There are times when we're awfully grateful for such medical backup," Miss Bear said, adding that from 90 to 95 per cent of deliveries are normal.

Misconceptions persist about midwifery, with some states still prohibiting nurse midwives from practicing.

"Although most babies in the world are delivered by midwives, the nurse midwife is not yet totally accepted in the United States," Miss Bear said.

A handful of institutions across the country now offer training in nurse midwifery, but the number of programs is increasing rapidly.

Even in California, where the practice of midwifery is illegal, programs are being established to help fill the market for midwives in other states.

"A phenomenal number of jobs are open for nurse midwives that are going begging," Miss Bear said.

In Kentucky the only program leading to certification of nurse midwives has been the Frontier Nursing Service at Hyden, established in the 1920's as the first of its kind in the nation.

Miss Bear, who spent several years working with the Frontier Nursing Service, said the graduate program at the University of Kentucky has been approved and four students will be admitted next spring. The program leading to a bachelor degree in midwifery is still before the Committee on Higher Education, but Miss Bear expects it to be approved.

A key problem in setting up nurse midwife programs is getting trained personnel to teach the courses. Another problem is the lack of clinical facilities, she said.

"That's why we're seeking affiliation with the (Frontier) Nursing Service and with Ireland Army Hospital at Ft. Knox," Miss Bear said.

Other facilities in the state have expressed an interest in establishing similar clinical training units, with UK as the degree-granting institute, she said.

Sorority queen and sweetheart chosen

Xi Epsilon Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi chose Mrs. Meredith Lee, second from left, as valentine queen and Mrs. Bryan McCord, second from right, as chapter sweetheart at a party Saturday night at El Capri Restaurant. Mrs. Steve Bell, left, and Mrs. Ben Chambers, right, retiring chapter sweetheart, the retiring queen, flank the newly crowned valentine officials.

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BIRTHS

DAVIS --Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis of Granite City, Ill., formerly of Sikeston, are parents of their first child, a daughter, born at 3:18 p.m. Jan. 29 in Christian Hospital at St. Louis. The girl weighed five pounds 12 ounces and has been named Heather Jeanette.

Mrs. Davis is the former Barbara Walker, daughter of C.R. Walker of 614 Dorothy, St. Sikeston, and Mrs. Ruby Maas of California. Davis is the son of Robert Davis of Granite City and Mrs. Robert McNail of Centerville, former Sikeston residents. He is employed by a railroad in Illinois.

FODGE --Mr. and Mrs. Michael Fodge of Benton are parents of their first child, a son, born at 12:45 p.m. Feb. 5 in Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. The boy weighed eight pounds one and one -half ounces and has been named Cory Michael.

Mrs. Fodge is the former Dorothy Jean Hennemann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hennemann of Benton. Fodge, a warehouseman for Jim Wilson Co., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fodge of Benton.

CUNNINGHAM-- Mr. and Mrs. Alan Cunningham of Sikeston are parents of their first child, a daughter born Feb. 5 at 7:54 a.m. in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau. The girl has been named Ashlie Darra and weighed six pounds one ounce at birth.

Mrs. Cunningham is the former Elizabeth Ann Thornton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Thornton of Bloomfield. Cunningham, a farmer, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cunningham of Dudley.

KATSALIROS --Mr. and Mrs. Pete Katsaliros of Sikeston are parents of their first child, a son born Thursday at 4:37 p.m. in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau. The boy weighed five pounds three ounces and has been named Bob.

Mrs. Katsaliros is the former Thelma Pashakis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pashakis of Greece. Katsaliros is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Katsaliros of Sikeston and is employed by Grecian Steak House.

SURPLUS SALMON EGGS TO KOREA

WASHINGTON (AP) — West Coast salmon eggs are being shipped by the million to Korea to establish a salmon fishery if possible in that country. The eggs are surplus from national and state hatcheries in Oregon and Washington. The three million airfreighted in January arrived in good condition and will be hatched and reared for a year in two hatcheries there.

Released as fingerlings, the fish are supposed to return three or four years later. Returns thus far, the National Marine Fisheries Services reports, have been scanty but there are hopes results will improve after a larger number of releases.

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Indians defense holds

EAST PRAIRIE — Coach Carroll Compton's defensive minded New Madrid High Indians put on a first quarter defensive show and held on for a 74-65 victory over the EPHS Eagles here Tuesday night.

New Madrid bolted into a 16-8 first quarter lead and then had to fight off numerous bids throughout the remainder of the game to preserve the victory.

Archie Boyd paced the Tribe's offense with 22 points and got 17 point assistance from Steve Glenn. Oscar Bradley scored 24 points for the Eagles top offensive effort.

East Prairie tipped off the night's hardwood action with a 58-50 junior varsity victory behind the 20 point leadership of Danny Johnson.

Scoring:

NEW MADRID (74)
Collins 8, Glenn 17, Boyd 22, Jackson 11, Syas 6, Tucker 4, Robinson 6. Totals: FG-32; FT-10; PF-16.

EAST PRAIRIE (65)
Bradley 24, Husk 12, Williford 9, Jones 6, Davenport 4, Dixon 8, Davis 2. Totals: FG-28; FT-9; PF-15.

Score by Quarters:

New Madrid	16	23	17	18—74
E. Prairie	8	22	16	19—65

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The Louisiana Racing Commission has formally approved a 105day split racing season for Jefferson Downs in Kenner. The new dates are April 10-July 6 and Sept. 30-Nov. 23.

A 105-day season is the maximum allowed under state law. Last August the commission denied a Jefferson Downs request for a longer and solid season.

WILMINGTON, Del. (AP) — People who only saw the score of Mt. Pleasant's 6-2 victory over Dickinson on Tuesday night might have thought it was an early baseball game.

Roy Bowman (24) scored 27 points and pulled down 13 rebounds in leading the Sikeston Bulldogs to a 96-65 romp of the Richland Rebels Tuesday night.

Dogs set record

Will the real Sikeston Bulldogs please stand up? After some embarrassing moments in their first sixteen games this season, SHS turned it all around the past two games and Tuesday night did some embarrassing of their own, establishing a SHS fieldhouse scoring record while walloping Richland's Rebels 96-65. The total was the highest scored by a Sikeston team since 1968 and bettered by six the previous fieldhouse mark held by Collierville, Tennessee. The win was Sikeston's second in a row, the first time the Bulldogs have been able to couple wins this year, and gave them a record of seven wins and 11 losses.

All ten players who dressed got to play in the game, and all ten scored for the rampaging home team. Bolstered by one of the best crowds of the year, the Bulldogs made their last home game a good one by dropping Richland's mark to 11-10 rather emphatically.

Sikeston never trailed in the contest and, after the first bucket by Ray Bowman, the two squads were never tied, although the scrappy Rebs did stay close for most of the first quarter. Narrowing the margin to two points, 12-10, on a Ken Cain layup, the Rebels looked to be ready to make a move on Sikeston. But, led by Ron Marks' passing and the Big Three of Roger Tillman, Roy Bowman and Mark Eaves on the boards, Sikeston scored six quick points to end the quarter with an 18-12 lead.

Starting with the second quarter, Sikeston began to play together as they hadn't before all year. Roger "High-rise" Tillman was tough inside and Roy Bowman was hot outside and Sikeston started to pull away, leading by fourteen at half, 42-28. A huge edge on the boards was a big factor in the Sikeston lead, as well as the 26 points that Bowman and Tillman had combined to score.

Ron Marks, who totaled eight assists in the first half, changed his game plan in the final half and handled the bulk of the scoring, marking up 20 of his 26 game points. Bowman nipped Marks by a free throw for the team leadership in points, scoring 27 despite sitting out more than a quarter of action. Tillman used his height and fine jumping ability to dominate inside scoring and total 18 points. Six-foot-1 senior Ken Cain led all scorers with 29 points and was the top Richland rebounder with 13.

Again in the third period and throughout the second half the rebounds made the difference in the score. SHS shot nearly 66 percent in the second half and they cleaned the defensive boards, Richland rarely got more than one try at the bucket. Capturing 27 of the 39 second half rebounds gave Sikeston their 55-25 game edge on the boards.

Led by the hot hand of Ron Marks and some very fine play by the reserves that got to play, Sikeston continued to add to their lead in the third period, building it to 25 points, 67-42.

With mostly reserves playing in the fourth period, Sikeston started out shaky. Halfway through the frame the visitors had cut the difference to eighteen points at 81-63. A press was effective for the eventual losers as Sikeston turned the ball over eight times in the frame, something they did only 17 times in the game. However, helped by the big, enthusiastic crowd and settled down by the one or two older players who remained on the court, the younger players also settled down and started to use a press of their own. Several late steals enabled Sikeston to almost break the century mark before the games close.

Teamwork was the name of the game for Sikeston. Using unselfish passing by Marks, Bowman and West and the overpowering rebounding against the Rebels, Sikeston won by their largest margin all year. Hitting 47 of 85 floor shots, Sikeston's 55.3 percentage was by far their greatest of the year. Meanwhile, the visitors were off in their shooting. Twenty- nine of their 83 floor shots were good for a 35 percent mark. In contrast to recent games, only 19 free throws were shot in the contest. Sikeston connected on two of five, as RHS was called for just eight fouls. Richland was good on seven of their 14 tries.

Led by Roy Bowman's 15 grabs and Mark Eaves' 11, Sikeston was able to chalk up their highest rebound total of the year. Tillman also got eight and Marks and West both collared six. Richland had 19 turnovers and Sikeston had 17, although they had turned the ball over only nine times entering that last quarter.

Are the Bulldogs making another late season charge? Or, is it just that no one else ever plays well at the fieldhouse. Well, the quintet will have a good opportunity to prove their stature with two tough games on the road next week, first at Blytheville, Arkansas, then at Cape Central. If they receive the support they have gotten in recent games, and if they truly "have got their stuff together," they could at least have a hand in who advances out of the Southeast Missouri regional at Cape's Houck fieldhouse. If not, the playesrs will have to shoulder most of the blame. Because, when they have played together this year, they have proved against good teams and others that they have the ability to win. When they didn't ...

RICHLAND (65)	FG	FT	PT	RB	PF	TO
Stanley Hueckel	2/ 5	0/ 0	4	1	1	1
Roberrt Hesteer	5/16	1/ 2	11	3	4	6
Glen Clark	3/ 5	0/ 1	6	4	1	1
David Noyes	4/ 8	0/ 0	8	1	0	1
James Farr	0/ 0	1/ 2	1	0	0	2
Randy Russell	0/ 1	0/ 0	0	0	0	0
Albert Brock	2/18	2/ 3	6	3	0	4
Ken Cain	13/30	3/ 6	29	13	2	4
	29/83	7/14	65	25	8	19
	(34.9)	(50.0)				

SIKESTON (96)	FG	FT	PT	RB	PF	TO
Roger Tillman	9/19	0/ 2	18	8	3	3
Vangalee West	2/ 8	0/ 0	4	6	3	3
Ronald Marks	13/22	0/ 0	26	6	1	2
Mark Eaves	3/ 5	0/ 0	6	11	3	0
Roy Bowman	13/20	1/ 1	27	15	1	1
Steve Jones	1/ 2	0/ 0	2	1	1	0
Bruce Lawrence	1/ 2	1/ 2	3	1	0	3
Donny Taylor	2/ 3	0/ 0	4	4	1	0
Rick Eisenbach	1/ 1	0/ 0	2	2	0	4
Ed Nunnelee	2/ 3	0/ 0	4	1	2	1
	47/85	2/ 7	96	55	15	17
	(55.3)	(28.6)				

Score by Quarters

Sikeston	18	24	25	29—96
Richland	12	16	14	23—65

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — A mandatory horsepower limit will be put on boats competing in the Bass Anglers Sportsman Society's fishing tournaments next year.

BASS President Ray Scott said the new rule is being made to promote boat safety as well as to conserve gasoline. "The way it is now," he said, "many rigs are just an accident looking for a place to happen."

Scott said the new rule will require all boats to stick to the rated capacity determined for various size boats by the Coast Guard.

Sophomore leads NPHS

ARBYRD--- Sophomore Jerry Stewart pumped in 24 points in leading the NPHS Mustangs past Southland 84-68 here Tuesday night.

The Mustangs are rated sixth in The Daily Standard poll this week.

After a tight first period in which the Mustangs came out two points ahead 19- 17 NPHS began to stretch their lead and were ahead 42- 34 at the half.

The Rebels could never manage to get into the ball from the second quarter on as the Mustangs defense was too much.

Southland scored 17 points in each of the four quarters. Gregg Gibson hit 23 for the Rebels.

NPHS took the B game 66- 24 with Robert Blackman hitting 20 and Dement hit 10 for Southland.

SCORING:

N. PEMISCOT (84)
Reedus 16, Hursey 12, Norris 14, Jerry Stuart 24, Jennings 16, Dunbar 2. Totals: FG— 39; FT— 6; PF— 15

SOUTHLAND (68)
Gregg Gibson 23, Summitt 18, Branch 11, Forbs 8, Blakenship 8. Totals: FG— 27; FT— 14; PF— 15

Score By Quarters:

North	19	23	18	24—84
Southland	17	17	17	17—68

Cincinnati Reds' President Bob Howsman has been named Cincinnati's 1973 Ambassador by the Cincinnati Convention and Visitors Bureau.

The award was made Tuesday in recognition of the Reds' ability to focus international attention on Cincinnati. The baseball team won the National League pennant in 1970 and 1972 and the Western Division title in 1973.

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Green Wave cover PHS

PUXICO — The Malden Green Wave continued to rip the nets with their shooting power as coach Jim Orr's team raced past the PHS Indians 82-68 here Tuesday night. The Malden team is ranked 10th in The Daily Standard poll and the Indians are out this week after having been up and down in the top ten all season.

Puxico, playing without the services of Will Smith, out with an injury jumped out to a 17-12 first quarter lead as coach Pete Townsend's team stymied the vaunted Malden offensive.

The Green Wave began to warm up in the second period and shot even with the Indians 18-18 as the home team Indians led 35-30 at the intermission.

It would have been better for the Puxico team if the game had been over at that point as the Wave began to roll in the second half scoring 24 points in the third period and 28 in the fourth to 12 for Puxico in the third and 21 in the fourth.

Jim Robinson and Carl Townsend teamed for 54 of the Green Wave's 82 points with 30 and 24 respectively. Red Smith led the Indians with 20. Malden won the B game 50-37 with Porter hitting 12 and Roger Martin hit 12 for Puxico.

Scoring:

MALDEN (82)
Jim Robinson 30, Townsend 24, Smith 10, Thompson 8, Triplet 6, Scherrod 4. Totals: FG-38; FT-6; PF-18

PUXICO (68)
Red Smith 20, Hancock 18, Davis 10, Caldwell 9, Walters 7, Reed 2, Rasor 2. Totals: FG-28; FT-12; PF-13

Score By Quarters:

Malden	12 18 24 28 82
Puxico	17 18 12 21 68

ITHACA, N.Y. (AP) — Cornell University coeds have won access to the school's formerly all-male physical education facilities.

The decision by the Cornell administration came after two students, Jane Danowitz and Laurie Zelon, initiated charges of sexual discrimination within the university's judicial system. The case was dropped when the decision to open the facilities was made.

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Sikeston rallies

By DALE FORBIS

Sikeston's junior varsity team proved its mettle in the second half Tuesday night at home against Richland. By virtue of a 57- 44 win over the visiting Richland Rebels, the Bullpups increased their season's record to an impressive 14- 2.

Led by a 6- foot- 2 sophomore Jim Clay, who ended the contest with 21 points, Richland jumped in front and led most of the first half. The Bulldogs looked sluggish and made several turnovers as they trailed by seven after the first quarter, 17- 10. Then, the visitors added a point to their advantage and led by eight at half, 31- 23.

However, the second half was a completely different story. Spurred on by an enthusiastic crowd, the Pups used an overpowering press to stifle the Rebel offense and enable them to outscore the visitors 34- 13 to romp to the win.

The two teams played on fairly even terms for most of the third period, but at its end Richland bunched several turnovers together and Sikeston took advantage to narrow the gap to one entering the last quarter. Then, the Bulldogs completely took over the game, outscored Richland 20- 5 and won going away.

Leading the Sikeston offense was 6- foot- 2 Hal Presley with 15 points. Mike Bohannon followed him with 13 and Harold Dockins added 12.

The rousing win erased somewhat the unpleasant memories of last Saturday's disappointing 66- 62 overtime loss in the finals of the Sikeston invitational junior varsity tournament. It also gave them a boost going into next Tuesday night's game against Blytheville, probably the toughest opponent they have faced all year. Sikeston won the first matchup and Blytheville will have revenge in mind.

RICHLAND (44)
Clay 21, Patterson 8, Moore 12, Chapin 2, Malloy 1. Totals: FG— 19; FT— 6 PF— 11

SIKESTON (57)
Luber 2, Presley 15, Bohann 13, Lawrence 7, Friday 2, Dockins 12, Nunnelee 2, Ziegenhorn 2, Minner 2. Totals: FG— 26; FT—5; PF— 16

Score by Quarters:

Richland	17 14 8 5—44
Sikeston	10 13 14 20—57

Smelser, Landers lead RHS victory

HOLCOMB--- Andy Smelser and Steve Landers teamed for 50 points scoring 26 and 24 respectively, as the Risco Tigers downed the Holcomb Hornets 72- 64 here Tuesday night.

Holcomb played with the Tigers throughout the game, but the Hornets inability to defense Smelser and Landers spelled their downfall.

Holcomb took a 15- 12 first period lead but saw the three point deficit fade away in the second quarter as Risco came back to take a 20- 14 advantage in the quarter and the Tigers led 32- 29 at the half.

The Tigers defense took hold in the last half and squelched the Hornet rally.

Jay Rollins and Dement led the Hornet offense with 22 and 19 points respectively.

Holcomb won the B game 47- 41 with Danny Burr hitting 17 and Johnson hit 16 for Risco.

SCORING:

RISCO (72)
Smelser 26, Landers 24, Cook 9, Patterson 5, Calvier 6, Coffer 2. Totals: FG— 31; FT— 10; PF— 12

HOLCOMB (64)
Rollins S 22, Collins 2, Tucker 4, Dement 19, Hughes 6, Robinson 4, Adams 5, Burger 2. Totals: FG— 29; FT— 6; PF— 17

Score By Quarters:

Risco	12 20 18 22—72
Holcomb	15 14 15 20—64

Pirates take Braves

MATTHEWS--- The mistake prone and poor shooting Scott County Central Braves dropped their game with the MHS Pirates here Tuesday night 83- 77.

The game was marked by poor shooting and ball handling by both clubs, but the Pirates were able to maintain a lead throughout the contest while the Braves managed to get to within two points with two minutes left to play, but thrown away balls and missed layups spelled defeat as the final result.

A cold shooting third period was the Braves downfall as Matthews took a 20- 12 advantage after trailing the Braves by one, 40- 39 at the half.

Matthews took a 22- 18 first period lead bu the Braves turned things around in the second quarter on some defensive lapses by the Pirates and outscored the Matthews team 22- 17.

After Matthews took the third period Scott Central battled back to within three midway through the period but too many turnovers brought on defeat.

Armond Porter played his usually fine game on defense and scored 24 points for the Bulldogs.

The Braves featured a balanced scoring attack with Otto Porter hitting 17, Kenny Bright 16, Danny Peet 19, and Robert Cook 13.

SCCHS won the B game with a smooth fast break offense 94- 61. "Albino" Thomas hit 22 for the Braves and Larry Robinson hit 21 for the Pirates.

SCORING:

MATTHEWS (83)
Armond Porter 24, Hardin 17, Parker 8, Latham 6, G. Kennedy 7, D. Kennedy 10, Baker 11. Totals: FG— 35; FT— 13; PF— 22

SCOTT CENTRAL (77)
Porter 17, Bright 16, Cook 13, McRoberts 8, Peet 19, Jackson 4. Totals: FG— 33; FT— 11; PF— 20

Score By Quarters:

Matthews	22 17 20 24—83
Scott Central	18 22 12 25—77

Black Cats nip Woodland

LUTESVILLE — The Fredericktown Black Cats came from behind to defeat the Woodland Cardinals 65-41 Tuesday night.

The Black Cats were down six points in the first quarter but a 15 point second quarter left them trailing by two at the half.

The Black Cat offense put in 18 points in the third quarter and their defense allowed only 11. Twenty eight points in the fourth quarter assured a Fredericktown victory as the game ended.

Fredericktown also won the Junior Varsity game 44-30. Tim Huffman set the pace for the jayvee Black Cats with 15 points.

Scoring:

FREDERICKTOWN (65)
Stan Sikes 19, Mike Steven 19, John Nations 15, Boyenger 11, Burke 1. Totals: FG-25; FT-15; PF-15

Woodland (41)
Black 12, Becker 10, Smith 6, Minson 5, D. Becker 4, M. Smith 2, G. Shrum 2. Totals: FG-18; FT-5; PF-20.

Score By Quarters:

Fredericktown	4 15 18 28 65
Woodland	10 8 11 12 41

Ed Dunning scored three points as his highly favored Mt. Plesant team defeated the Dickinson stall.

Panthers struggle

DEERING — Coach Randy Benson's Delta C-7 Chargers forced the Daily Standard's second ranked Lilbourn Panthers into overtime Tuesday night before losing, 74-71.

The steadily improving DC-7 cagers jumped out into a 10-8 lead in the first quarter, but lost that margin and trailed through the second and third quarters before putting on a late game rally to tie the game at 64-64 as the final buzzer sounded.

Balance was the key to the Chargers upset bid, as five players notched double figure marks. James Meade led the group with 19 and Jackie Ratliff added 17.

Claude McFarren hit 14 to pace the Panthers offense which included 16 by Carl Meadows, and 14 each by Ed Farr and Frankie Robinson.

Lilbourn's junior varsity tipped off the night with a 57-53 win behind the 16 point leadership of Detwell Treadwell.

Scoring:

LILBOURN (74)
Claude McFarren 17, Farr 14, Meadows 16, Robinson 14, E. McFarren 8, White 3, Treadwell 2. Totals: FG-30; FT-14; PF-22

DELTA C-7 (71)
Jackie Ratliff 17, Wilkerson 11, Guyton 11, Blankenship 11, Meade 19, Sanders 2. Totals: FG-28; FT-15; PF-22

Score By Quarters:

Lilbourn	8 19 18 19 10 74
Delta C-7	10 17 17 20 7 71

LOS ANGELES— The Los Angeles Sharks sent center Ron Ward to the Cleveland Crusaders for wingers Billy Young and Ted Hodgson in a World Hockey Association trade.

BASEBALL

OAKLAND— Jim "Catfish" Hunter of the Oakland Athletics signed his 1974 baseball contract for an estimated $100,000.

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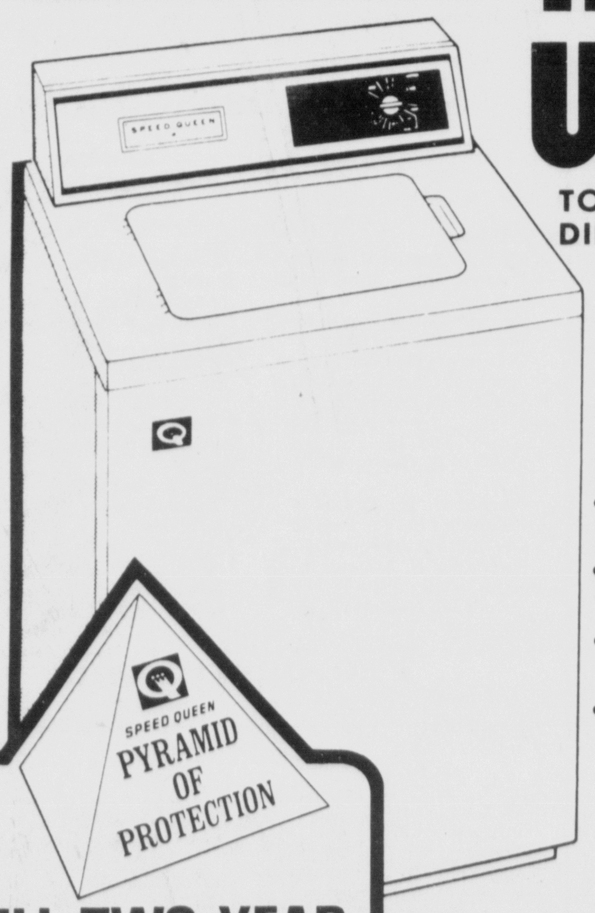

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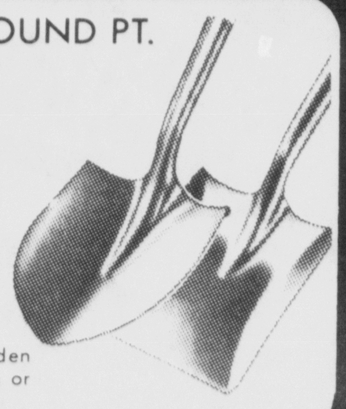

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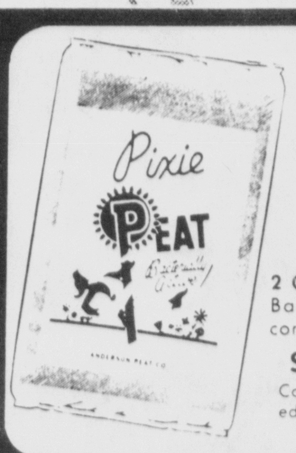

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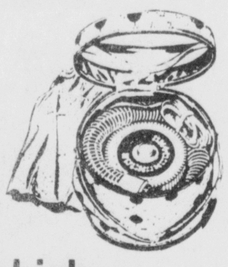

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Kennett 75, Twin Rivers 53
Dexter 74, Bell City 56
Risco 72, Holcomb 64
Charleston 83, Parma 59
Lesterville 78, Valley 55
Notre Dame 82, Egyptian 71
Perryville 79, Ste. Genevieve 45
New Madrid 74, East Prairie 65
Gideon 51, Clarkton 45
Delta 65, Chaffee 50
Fredericktown 65, Woodland 41
Matthews 83, Scott Central 77
Senath- Hornersville 51, Portageville 48
North Pemiscot 84, Southland 68
Lilbourn 74, Delta C- 7 71 (OT)

WEDNESDAY'S SCHEDULE

Illmo- Scott City at Meadow Heights

Tigers run wild

NEELYVILLE — The Nellyville Tigers set a fast pace Friday night as they ran over the Ellsinore Redbirds 90-36.

Leon Johnson led the many scorers for Neelyville with 25 points. Danny Kirby was the only Redbird to reach the double figure mark with 16 points.

Keith Bowman scored 11 points to lead the Redbirds to a 38-30 win in the junior Varsity game. Hal Griffin was the top tiger with 11 points. Scoring:

NEELYVILLE (90)
Purdom 6, Robinson 6, Johnson 25, Hoggard 12, Walters 5, Haines 6, Whitehorn 6, L Emmons, 4, Palley 12. Totals: FG 43; FT 4; PF 17.

ELLSINORE (36)
Robertson 8, Turner 7, Kirby 16, Allen 3, Combs 2. Totals: FG 14; FT 8; PF 11;

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State wide prep results

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Houston 61, Ava 46
K.C. Central 83, Van Horn 55
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Raytown South 54, Oak Park 43
Raytown 54, Truman 52
North Kansas City 49, Center 47
Belton 45, Grandview 42
Fort Osage 56, Excelsior Springs 54
Southeast 73, Westport 49
Jefferson 53, Stanberry 47
Milan 61, Brookfield 57
Windsor 57, Warsaw 56
Galatin 95, South Harrison 44
Hale 88, Brekenridge 54
Kirksville 71, Moberly 54

Harrisonville 58, Pleasant Hill 50
Orrick 80, Concordia 69
St. Paul 60, University High (Warrensburg) 37
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Brunswick 66, Northwestern 54
Harrisburg 80, Prairie Home 67
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Salem 76, Mountain Grove 54
Soldan 75, McKinley 50
Clayton 60, Berkeley 50
Bayless 84, Hancock 43
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Union 50, Pacific 47
Wright City 67, St. Dominic 58
Jennings 55, Lafayette 52
Beaumont 82, King 69
Kinloch 92, Brentwood 66
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College basketball

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EAST

Hartford 85, Springfield 74
Providence 75, Brown 73, 2 overtimes
Mass. 77, Boston U. 60
Fairfield 82, St. Bonaventure 75
Harvard 72, Dartmouth 63
Brandeis 110, Clark 86
Gettysburg 65, Dickinson 58
Brockport St. 103, Buffalo 89
Canisius 73, Colgate 67

SOUTH

Marshall 63, George Washington 57
Furman 91, The Citadel 59
Richmond 90, Va. Tech 86
Covenant 80, Sewanee 75
Centenary 96, Athletes in Action 86
Del. St. 70, Norfolk St. 68

MIDWEST

Wittenberg 72, Heidelberg 51
So. Ill. 76, Stetson 67
Moorhead St. 69, Minn.-Morris 67
Chicago Loyola 104, Mo.-St. Louis 73
Augustana 88, Millikin 61
Israel 99, S. Ill.-Edwardsville 88
Colo. 65, Neb. 64

SOUTHWEST

Texas Tech 89, Ark. 83
Southern Methodist 70, Texas A&M 68
Rice 83, Baylor 76
Texas Christian 72, Texas 71, overtime

FAR WEST

Los Angeles Loyola 62, Pepperdine 39

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East Division	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	37	22	.627	—
Kentucky	35	21	.625	½
Carolina	37	26	.587	2
Virginia	20	36	.357	15½
Memphis	13	46	.220	24
West Division				
Utah	41	19	.683	—
San Antonio	31	31	.500	11
Denver	28	29	.491	11¼
Indiana	29	31	.483	12
San Diego	26	36	.419	16

Tuesday's Games
Denver 125, Virginia 112
Utah 114, Indiana 91

Wednesday's Games
Virginia at New York
Carolina at Memphis
Kentucky at Denver
Indiana at San Diego

Thursday's Games
New York vs. Carolina at Charlotte
Kentucky at Utah
Indiana at San Antonio
Memphis vs. Virginia at Norfolk

Eastern Conference Atlantic Division	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Boston	40	15	.727	—
New York	35	24	.593	7
Buffalo	30	31	.492	13
Philadelphia	18	40	.310	23½
Central Division				
Capital	32	28	.552	—
Atlanta	27	34	.443	6½
Houston	23	38	.377	10½
Cleveland	20	43	.317	14½

Western Conference Midwest Division				
Milwaukee	43	15	.741	—
Chiiago	43	19	.694	2
Detroit	40	19	.678	3½
K.C.-Omaha	23	39	.371	22
Pacific Division				
Golden St.	30	25	.545	—
Los Angeles	31	27	.534	½
Seattle	27	36	.429	7
Phoenix	22	37	.373	10
Portland	21	37	.362	10½

Tuesday's Games
New York 100, Buffalo 93
Chicago 93, Milwaukee 81
Detroit 113, Kansas City-Omaha 106
Capital 107, Cleveland 99
Houston 129, Los Angeles 119
Portland 113, Phoenix 104
Boston 107, Golden State 102

Wednesday's Games
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Buffalo at Philadelphia
Kansas City-Omaha at Capital
Boston at Seattle

Thursday's Games
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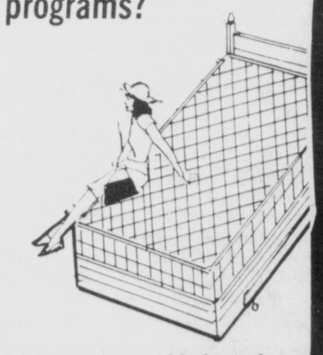

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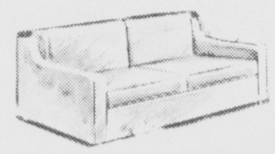

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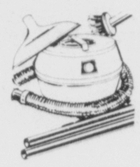

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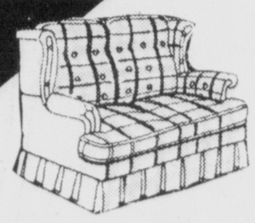

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'Laughing Policeman' is detective thriller

20th Century - Fox's "The Laughing Policeman", a detective thriller produced and directed by Stuart Rosenberg and starring Walter Matthau and Bruce Dern, premieres Friday at Mall Theatre in Kingsway Plaza Mall.

Based upon the "Edgar" award - winning Martin Beck detective novel by Swedish writers Per Wahloo and Maj Sjowall, the film is the story of the investigation of a mass murder aboard a bus.

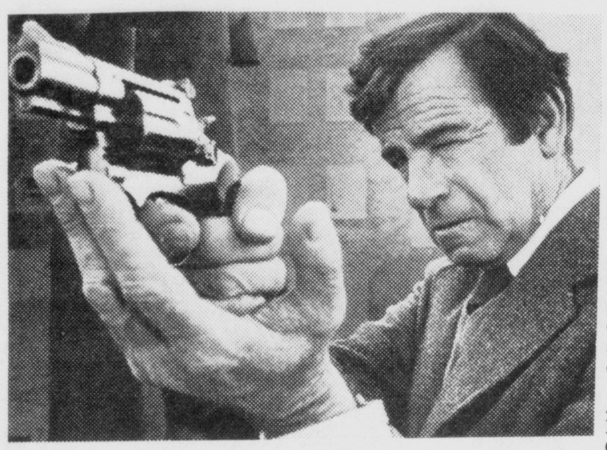
The action has been transported from the novel's setting of Stockholm to San Francisco, where Rosenberg spent four months researching the homicide division of the police department. Although the film remains true to the novel, many of its events are based on actual incidents he observed.

Also featured in the cast are Lou Gossett, Cathy Lee Crosby, Anthony Zerbe, Val Avery, Mario Gallo, Joanna Cassidy, Albert Paulsen and members of the San Francisco homicide division.

There are over 75 speaking roles in "The Laughing Policeman" and hundreds of extras. Many of the smaller parts and those requiring particular backgrounds are played by actual professionals in the particular field.

For a scene in a general hospital trauma room, the actual doctors and nurses play themselves. Coroners and police ambulance drivers also play themselves. For a sniper scene requiring members of the Tactical Squad, the San Francisco TAC force played itself.

Thomas Rickman wrote the screenplay.



Matthau stars

Walter Matthau, as detective Jake Martin, heads the investigation of a mass murder in San Francisco in "The Laughing Policeman", a movie premiering Friday at Mall Theatre in Kingsway Plaza Mall. The 20th Century-Fox release co- starring Bruce Dern was produced and directed by Stuart Rosenberg.

Car dealers have good month

ST. LOUIS — St. Louis district Lincoln- Mercury dealers last month recorded their second-best January in new car sales, district manager Gordon Doherty announced today.

January sales of 1,795 units were below the previous record of 2,611 set in January 1973, but were three per cent higher than January 1972 and 29 per cent over the January 1971 figure, he said.

Two car lines, the all- new Cougar and the compact Comet showed notable sales increases over January 1973, Doherty pointed out. Cougar sales were up 44 per cent and Comet sales rose eight per cent.

The district serves 230 dealers in Missouri and portions of Illinois, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska.

Tanner listed as AAA garage

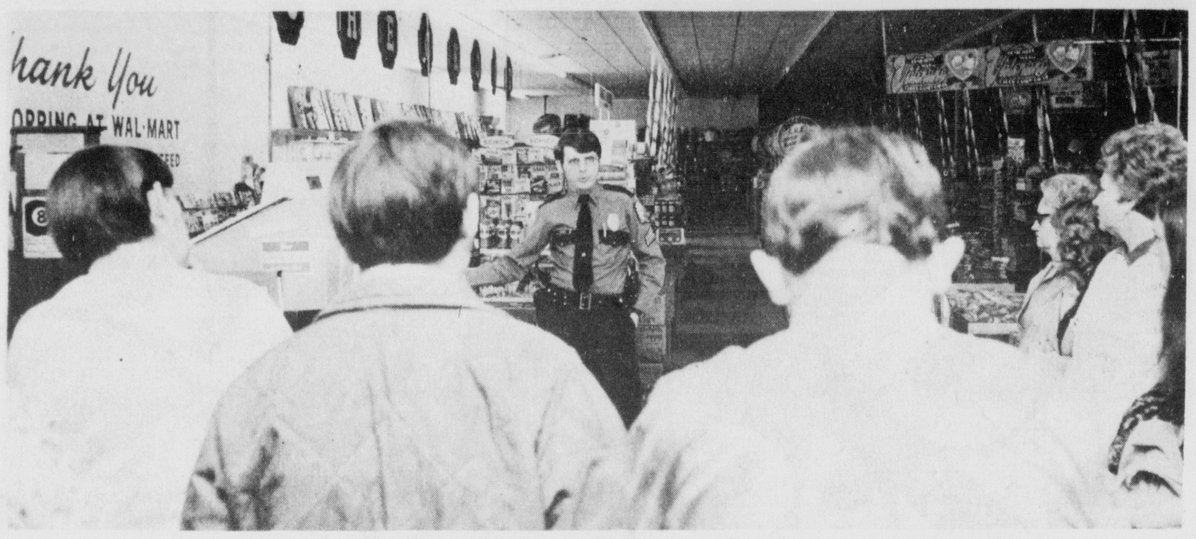
ST. LOUIS — The Auto Club of Missouri, serving territories in Missouri, Illinois and Kansas, has announced the appointment of Tanner Brothers Garage in Sikeston as a new official AAA garage.

Tanner Brothers Garage, 417 S. Main St., becomes one of a nationwide chain of more than 24,0000 AAA garages rendering service to some 15 million AAA members throughout the country.

Emergency road service is as close as the nearest telephone for Auto Club members in and about the Sikeston area.

Salesman honored

Major appliance salesman Roland Sparks, right, of the Sikeston Otasco store was honored by company officials for oustanding sales leadership at the company's annual banquet Sunday at the Peabody Hotel in Memphis, Tenn. In recognition of his achievement, Sparks was presented an award by district supervisor Elwood Young, left. The presentation was part of a day- long meeting at which store managers and employes heard the inside story of the company's most successful year plus a preview of new 1974 merchandise and plans.



Shoplifting discussed with employes

Sgt. Richard Couch discussed shoplifting and how to prevent it this morning with employes of Wal-Mart Discount City. Couch's talk was part of Crime Prevention Week observation. (Daily Standard photo by Ron Porter)

Ark. Mo. receives scouting award

BLYTHEVILLE, Ark. — Citing the companies' continuing support of area Boy Scout programs, the 14-county Southeast Missouri Council of Boy Scouts of America has named Arkansas - Missouri Power Co. and its Missouri subsidiary, Associated Natural Gas Co., recipients of its Patron Award.

The award was accepted by Frank G. Smith, Jr., president and chief executive officer of Ark-Mo and Associated.

The council, headquartered at Cape Girardeau, Mo., presents the Patron Award to persons and firms who make outstanding contributions to scouting, according to a council spokesman.

Smith received the award at Ark-Mo's main offices in Blytheville. It was presented by Charles Brown of Kennett and William Colston of Caruthersville.

Colston is chairman of the council's Seminole District in the lower Missouri Bootheel. Brown, a Kennett city councilman, is the district's finance chairman.

Ark-Mo and Associated employes not only are involved in scouting, the spokesman said, but the companies are regular financial supporters of Bootheel scouting programs.

Smith accepts award

Frank G. Smith Jr., right, of Blytheville, Ark., recently accepted scouting's Patron Award for his companies, Arkansas- Missouri Power Co. and Associated Natural Gas Co. Presenting the award for the Southeast Missouri Council of Boy Scouts of America were Charles Brown of Kennett, center, and William Colston of Caruthersville.

Double feature set at Malone

Malone Theatre, 107 W. Malone Ave., is now featuring "Funny Car Summer", in color and rated G (general audience).

A double feature of "Hercules" and "Hercules Unchained" will begin Friday at the Malone. Both movies are rated G.

Barbara Striesand and Robert Redford star in "The Way We Were", now playing at Malco Twin Cinema I in Midtowner Village Shopping Center, for the third week. The film is rated PG (parental guidance advised).

"Ash Wednesday", starring Elizabeth Taylor and Henry Fonda and rated R (persons under the age of 17 not admitted without parents' consent), is now showing at Malco Twin Cinema II.

The filn The Seven Ups", rated PG, starts Friday at Malco Twin II.

"The Paper Chase", starring Timothy Bottoms and rated PG, ends Thursday at Mall Theatre in Kingsway Plaza Mall.

"The Laughing Policeman" begins Friday at Mall Theatre. It is rated R.

Lorenz attends special seminar

Dwayne Lorenz of Sikeston was one of 70 Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. agents from Illinois, Kansas and Missouri who attended a special advanced seminar last week in Columbia.

The seminar provided experienced agents with training in recent developments in special fields of advanced underwriting work. It covered the use of life insurance in business and estate planning.

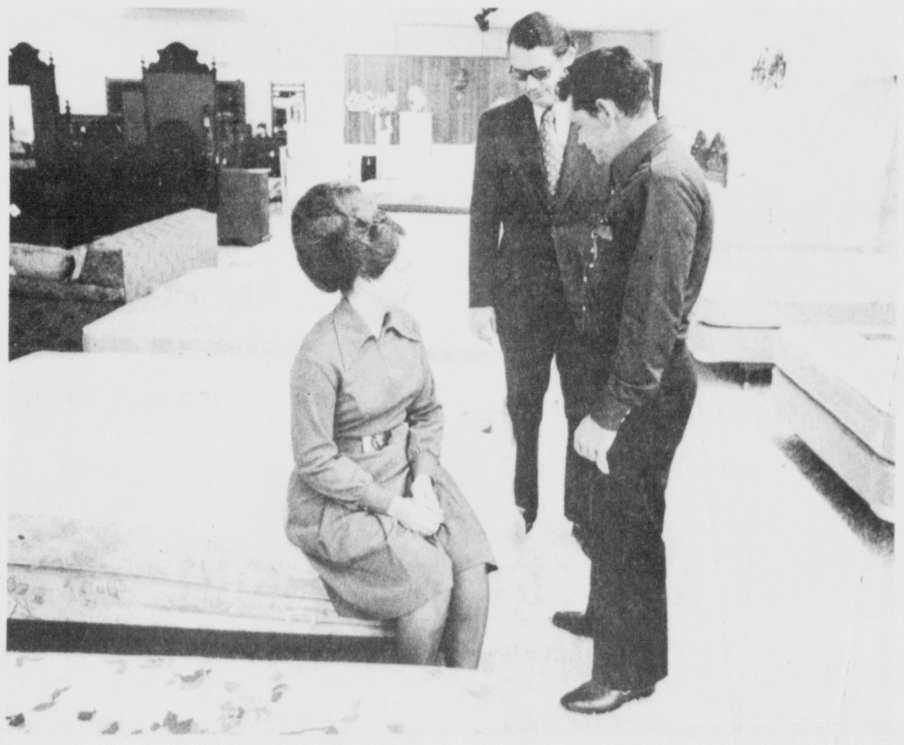
Heath passes CPA examination

Wayne D. Heath has been notified by the Missouri State Board of Accountacy that he has passed the uniform certified public accountant's examination.

An employee of the firm of Berry, Patmore & Co., 805 N. Main St., Heath is a 1968 graduate of Burdett College in Boston, Mass.

He is married to the former Mary Ann Smith of Bell City and lives on Westport Drive in Dexter.

Focus on Business



Final winners named

Merle Keefer, center, manager of Kingsway Furniture, presents Mr. and Mrs. Howard Landers, 308 Selma St., a new mattress and box springs, the prize in the final drawing held in connection with grand opening activities at the new store at 916 S. Kingshighway.

Moore cited for proficiency

Robert L. Moore of Sikeston, a local representative for Mutual of Omaha and United of Omaha, was recently awarded a certificate of proficiency for successful completion of an intensive course in advanced life insurance underwriting.

The seminar, held in Omaha, Neb., utilized the latest audiovisual and computerized facilities. Special sessions featured business insurance, tax -sheltered annuities and estate planning.

Moore is associated with the Jack Williams Division Office, general agency for Mutual and United in Cape Girardeau.

Klein, president of ABKCO, paid for leasing the Garden for the two shows.

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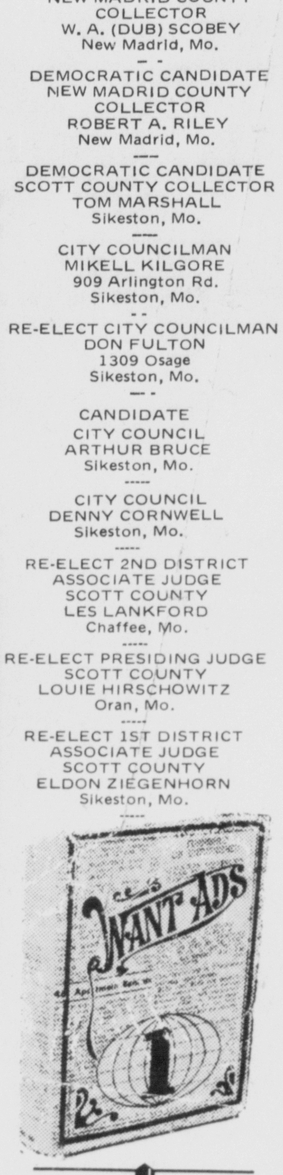

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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
OF NOTICE
Circuit Court for the County of Scott State of Missouri

Norma Jean Choate, Plaintiff
vs.
James Lee Choate, Defendant
No. 7923

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
OF NOTICE

On this 11th day of February, 1974, it appearing from the verified application of plaintiff for an order allowing service by publication that defendant

JAMES LEE CHOATE

cannot be personally served within this state, it is ordered that the application of plaintiff be granted and that service by publication upon said defendant be had as provided by law and that said defendant be and is hereby notified that an action has been commenced against said defendant in the circuit court for the County of Scott, State of Missouri, the object and general nature of which is

an amended Petition for Divorce

And that said defendant be and is hereby further notified that the name and address of the attorney for plaintiff is Bernard C. Rice of the Law firm of Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal and that said defendant is required to apperar and defend this action within 45 days after the 15th day of February, 1974, and in case of failure so to do judgment by default will be rendered against said defendant.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Daily Sikeston Standard, Sikeston, Missouri, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Scott, State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the circuit court this 11th day of February, 1974.
(SEAL)

Lynn F. Ingram
Circuit Clerk

300, 306, 312, 5

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
OF SCHOOL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that Scott County Reorganized School District R-V, intends to sell the following described property in Scott County Missouri, more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Tract I (a): A tract or parcel of land, containing 4.14 acres, being a part of the East One-Half (E½) of Lot Six (6) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section One (1), Township Twenty- seven (27) North, Range Thirteen (13) East and described as follows: Beginning at a pump pipe set by M. S. Murray 1920, for the West 1/16 corner on the North side of said Section One (1), also described as being the Northwest corner of the East One-Half (NW cor. E½) of Lot Six (6) Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section One (1); thence East along the line between Townships Twenty- seven (27) and Twenty-eight (28), also the North line of said Lot Six (6) a distance of 400 feet to an iron pin set for the Northeast corner of school lot; thence South 1 degree West along the West line of School Street and projected a distance of 450 feet to an iron pin set for the Southeast corner of said school lot; thence West paralleling the Township line a distance of 400 feet to a iron pin set at the intersection of the West 1/16 section line for the Southwest corner of school lot; thence North 1 degree East along the said West 1/16 section line a distance of 450 feet to the point of beginning.

Excepting therefrom any and all rights of way or easements over and across or affecting said lands.

Tract I (b): A tract or parcel of land, containing 5.33 acres, being a part of the West One-Half (W½ of Lot Six (6) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section One (1), Township Twenty-seven (27) North, Range Thirteen (13) East and described as follows: Beginning at a pump pipe set by M. S. Murray 1920, for the West 1/16 corner on the North side of said Section One (1), also described as being the Northeast corner of the West One-Half (W½) of Lot Six (6) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of said Section One (1); thence South 1 degree West along the West 1/16 section line a distance of 554.018 feet to an iron pin set for the Southeast corner of tract of land herein described; thence West paralleling the line between Townships Twenty-seven (27) and Twenty- eight (28) a distance of 418.77 feet to an iron pin set for the Southwest corner of tract of land herain described; thence North 1 degree East paralleling the said West 1/16 section line a distance of 554.018 feet to a pump pipe set by R. L. Harrison 1939 for the Northwest corner of tract of land herein described at the intersection of the line between Townships Twenty- seven (27) and Twenty-eight (28); thence East along the line between said Townships Twenty- seven and Twenty- eight (28), also the North line of said Lot Six (6) a distance of 418.77 feet to the point of beginning.

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Sealed bids on either or both of the above described tracts, accompanied by a bank draft, money order or certified check payable to Building Fund, Scott County Reorganized School District R-V in the amount of Ten (10%) percent of the total bid, will be accepted at the office of the Superintendent of Scott County Reorganized School District R-V until Thursday, February 21, 1974 at 5:00 o'clock P.M. C.D.T. The Board of Education of Scott County Reorganized School District R-V reserves the right to reject all bids. All bids and accompanying documents will be returned to unsuccessful bidders.

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ATTEST:
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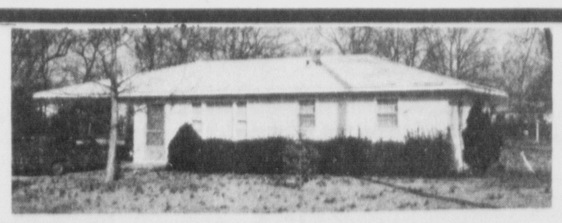

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SATURDAY FEB. 23, 1974

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LOCATION:

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1--656 INTERNATIONAL TRACTOR DIESEL WITH ALL EXTRAS
1--1969 "503" COMBINE, IHC. HYDROSTAT 16 FOOT HEADER LOW BAR, ALL EXTRAS.
1--403 IHC. COMBINE WITH ALL EXTRAS
1--400 IHC TRACTOR EQUIPMENT
1--6 ROW AMCO HIPPERS WITH HYDRAULIC MARKERS LIKE NEW
1--6 ROW ROLLING LISTON CULTIVATOR, LIKE NEW
1--6 ROW IHC CULTIVATOR, LATE MODEL
1--6 ROW OLIVER PLANTER, WITH ALL EXTRAS. PULL TYPE
1--6 ROW NO TILL OLIVER PLANTER. ALL EXTRAS PULL TYPE
1--INTERNATIONAL 6 ROW PLANTER 3 PT. TOOL-BAR.
1--5-14 SEMI-MOUNT PLOW. OLIVER.
1--410 EVERSMAN LAND PLANE
1--16 FOOT JOHN DEERE WING DISC
1--19 FT. WING TYPE VIBER SHANK CULTIVATOR 3 PT.
2--6 ROW OLIVER CULTIVATOR, SEAL BEARING GAUGE WHEELS 3 PT.
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1--13½ FT. GLENCO FIELD CULTIVATOR, 3 PT.
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1--WIDWEST HARROW, 16 FT.
1--5-16 OLIVER SEMI-MOUNT PLOW.
1--500 BU. GRAIN DRYER, BEHLEN, ALL ELECTRIC
2- 329 N. CORN HEADS FOR 403
1-BEHLEN 375 BU. GRAIN DRYER
1--16 FT FLEXIBLE HARROW
1--SET OF SOIL SURGERS
1--2-14 J.D. PLOW 3 PT.
1--INTERNATIONAL 2 ROW, CORN PICKER
1- 30 FT. AUGER WITH GAS MOTOR
1--3PT. SIDE WINDER WITH STUMP JUMPER.
1--FEED MIXER

trucks & trailers-
1--1969 GMC ½ TON PICKUP CLEAN
1--1960 INTERNATIONAL TRUCK ½ TON
1--1966 CHEV 10 WHEELER TRUCK
1- INTERNATIONAL TRUCK, 2 TON WITH HOIST GOOD GRAIN BED.
1--INTERNATIONAL TRUCK WITH FIFTH WHEEL.
1--INTERNATIONAL TRUCK WITH PARKER GRAVITY FLOW BED. 250 BU.
1- J.D. FOUR WHEEL GRAIN TRAILER, WITH HOIST
1--FOUR WHEEL WITH GRAIN BED.
1--J.D. TRAILER WITH METAL BED, 175 BU.
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Deaths

ROBERT L. RAYMER

DEXTER — Robert Lee Raymer, 40, died Tuesday at St. Luke's Hospital in St. Louis.

He was born Feb. 4, 1934 near Waverly, Tenn.

He was a member of the Southwest Church of Christ.

On Oct. 11, 1959, he married Bonnie Thoeman, who survives.

Also surviving are one son, Paul David Raymer of the home; parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Raymer of Canalou; three brothers, John Raymer of Chicago and Dale and Fred Raymer of Union City, Tenn. and two sisters, Dorothy Lowery of Kennett and another sister of McEwen, Tenn.

Friends may call at Rainey Funeral Home.

Services are scheduled at 3 p.m. Thursday in the funeral home with Wayne Curry and Harbert Hooper officiating.

Burial will be in Dexter Cemetery.

BETTY TUCKER

LOUISIANA, Mo. — Betty Tucker, 45, formerly of Parma, died Tuesday.

She was born June 17, 1928 at DesArc to the late L. J. and Gladys Poston.

On April 26, 1946, she married Charles E. Tucker, who survives.

Other survivors include one daughter, Shirley Ruth Willis of Palmyra; one son, Norman Poston of Marion, Ill.; two brothers, Curtis Poston of Bridgeton and George Poston of Poplar Bluff, one sister, Sue Weatherford of Malden; and two grandchildren.

The body is at Watkins and Sons Funeral Home in Parma where arrangements are incomplete.

CARL S. SHAW

PARMA — Carl Stephen Shaw, 81, died Monday at Veterans Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

He was born April 20, 1892 at Olney, Ill, to the late Thomas and Lillie Bell Shaw.

He was a member of the Parma United Methodist Church, a veteran of World War I and a member of Veteran of Foreign Wars.

On Dec. 19, 1958, he married Grace Wyman, who survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Bob Shaw of Dexter and Carl Shaw Jr. of Andalusia, Ala. one stepson, Raymond Wyman of Parma; two stepdaughters, Norma Lee Patton of Casey, Ill., and Helen Blevins of Parma; two brothers, David Shaw of Parma and Rubin Shaw of Hickory Ridge, Ark.; and seven grandchildren and four great- grandchildren.

Friends may call at Watkins and Sons Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday. The Revs. Clinton Berkmeyer of Lilbourn and George Sisler of Dexter will officiate.

Burial will be in Sadler Chapel Cemetery near Dexter.

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Anheuser Busch	28½	29
Olson Bros	1¾	2¼
Martha Manning	1¼	1¾
Pabst Brewing	21¾	22¼
Chase Nat	7¾	8¾
Wetterau	17	17½
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		20¾
American Tel & Tel		51¼
American Motors		10¾
lCalvert Exp		4½
Chrysler		16¾
Columbia Gas		26¾
Eaton Mfg.		26¾
Ford Motors		44¼
General Motors		49¾
Interstate Brands		6¼
Malone & Hyde		22
Mid South Util		15½
J. C. Penney		69¾
New England Elect		21½
Occidental Pet		10½
WalMart Stores		14¾

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone Phone 471-5350.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	16.5	—1.0
Cape Girardeau	32	24.2	—1.0
New Madrid	34	35.3	—1.4
Caruthersville	32	34.9	—1.0

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .5 Thursday; fall .4 Friday; and fall . .2 Saturday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .7 Thursday; fall .7 Friday; and fall .2 Saturday.

At New Madrid the river will fall 1.7 Thursday; fall .16 Friday; and fall 1.8 Saturday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall 1.3 Thursday; fall 1.2 Friday; and fall 1.4 Saturday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	32.6	—1.5
Paducah	39	37.0	—1.6
Grand Chain	42	45.3	—1.4
Cairo	40	44.9	—1.4

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will fall 1.4 Thursday; fall 1.5 Friday; and fall 1.2 Saturday.

At Paducah the river will fall 2.0 Thursday; fall 2.0 Friday; and fall 1.5 Saturday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river will fall 1.6 Thursday; fall 2.2 Friday and fall 2.0 Saturday.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat futures opened sharply higher on the Chicago Board of Trade today while other grains were mixed and soybeans were lower.

On the opening, wheat was 2 to 7 cents a bushel higher, March 5.97; corn was unchanged to 3 lower, March 3.07; oats were 1½ lower to ½ higher, March 1.70 and soybeans were 3 to 9 lower, March 6.50.

Two fined $17

CHARLESTON — Fines of $17 each were paid in City Court today by Susie Lee Tripler, 20, and Dorothy Jean Spence, 20, of Charleston on disturbing the peace charges.

The nation's railroads, in 1971, hauled 2,626,280,490 tons of freight in 1,440,873 freight cars over some 204,000 miles of railroad track, The World Almanac says. During this period freight trains traveled 436,563,277 miles at a cost of 1.61 cents a ton mile, and earned the railroads about $12 billion in freight revenue.

Bill would give Madrid schools monies increase

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A proposed revision of the state school monies distribution formula for local school districts, expected to cost $60 million in the first year, 1975-76, will mean more money to most of Missouri's 600 school districts.

Debate was to continue today on the bill.

But about a dozen will lose money, according to estimates by the state Department of Education.

Under the formula, the minimum guaranteed contribution per pupil would be the average statewide cost per pupil in the past two years, about $930. That would replace the current $400 per pupil per year minimum.

At present, local revenue from property taxes up to $1.25 per $100 of assessed valuation is deducted from the contribution to each district.

The new limit would be the statewide average levy, and the tax money received from railroads, telegraph and other utilities, plus intangible tax receipts for the 1974-75 year, would be deducted from the district's total.

Among the districts expected to lose money under the program, according to Education Department figures, are:

Perry County District 73, which received $21,134 from the state this year, will receive $18,392 for 1975-76 under the new program and phased down to $14,898 by 1977-78. The 1974-75 total, under the old formula, would be slightly increased.

Pettis County 4-12, $8,821 this year under the present formula, $7,678 in 1975-76 under the new formula and $6,219 in 1977-78.

Pike R-3, $142,666 for this school year (1973-74;, $124,158 in 1975-76 and $100,568 in 1977-78

Westran R-1, $145,792 now, to $126,844 in 1975-76, and $140,065 in 1977-78.

Lesterville R-4, $71,446, $62,177 in 1975-76, and $50,363 in 1977-78.

Berkeley, $878,649 this year, $764,674 in 1975-76, and $619,386 in 1977-78.

Clayton, $499,400 this year, $434,651 in 1975-76, and $352,067 in 1977-78.

Ladue, $1,119,703 this year, $974,456 in 1975-76, and $789,309 in 1977-78.

Maplewood-Richmond Heights, $574,071 this year, $499,604 in 1975-76, and $584,714 in 1977-78.

Jennings, $597,454 this year, $519,954 in 1975-76, and $421,163 in 1977-78.

Brentwood, $328,861 this year, $286,202 in 1975-76, and $231,824 in 1977-78.

Concordia R-2, $85,087 now, $74,050 in 1975-76, and $59,981 in 1977-78.

Affton 101, $874,318 this year, $787,103 in 1975-76, and it gains in 1977-78, getting $982,394.

St. Louis City received $28.4 million this year and will get $35.7 million in 1975-76 under the new formula.

St. Joseph would go from $5.7 million to $8.5 million in 1975-76. Jasper County R-8 (Joplin) would go from $2.8 million to $4 million.

New Madrid R-1 would get an increase from $1.8 million now to $2.7 million in 1975-76.

For Cape Girardeau No. 68, it would be $1.2 million compared with $1.5 million now. Jefferson City would go from $1.2 million to $1.4 million.

Five Most Active

Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were up 4.46 on a volume of 5 million shares.

NYSE Most Active:

Brit. Petro.	11 1/2	+1/8
Braniff Air.	9 7/8	+1/8
Roan Selec. Trst	4 1/2	-1/8
Texaco	20 1/4	+1/4
PPG, Ind.	24 3/8	-1/4
LISTED STOCKS		
Amer. Tele.	51 1/4	
Anheuser Busch	28 5/8	
Butler Natl.	1 5/8	
Cooper Tire	10 1/2	
Evans Prod.	10	
Feld Leasing	6 3/8	
Ford	44 1/8	
Manchester Life	3 1/2	
Gen. Mtrs.	49 3/4	
Interco	25 1/2	
Malone & Hyde	22 3/8	
Mid. Am. Great Plains	1	
Noranda Mines	49 1/4	
Pizza Inn	4 1/2	
R. J. Reynolds	42 1/4	
Redman	4 1/2	
Rival Mfg.	24 1/2	
St. Joe Mineral	38 7/8	
Texaco	28 1/4	
TransAmerica	9 3/4	
Wetterau Foods	17 1/2	

These quotations were provided at 11 a.m. today by Don Sarno, account executive, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Inc. 220 N. Fourth St. St. Louis, Mo. 63102. Call toll-free 1-800 392-3430

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Thursday: 5,000 hogs, 1,500 cattle and 75 sheep.

Hogs 7,000; butchers 1.00-1.25 lower. Sows uneven, 50-1.25 lower. U.S. 1-2 200-230 lb butchers 40.50-40.75. U.S. 1-3 200-250 lbs 39.50-40.50. U.S. 1-3 300-400 lb sows 34.25-35.50; 400-600 lbs 33.75-34.50. Boars under 250 lbs 34.00; over 250 lbs 30.00.

Cattle 800; slaughter steers and heifers 2.00-3.00 lower. Cows strong. Bulls steady.

Choice 950-1200 lb slaughter steers yield 2-4 44.00-46.00; good 42.00-43.50.

Choice 800-1000 lb slaughter heifers yield 2-4 42.00-43.00.

Utility and commercial cows 32.00-36.00; cutter 29.00-32.00; canner 26.00-30.00.

Sheep 400; slaughter lambs steady to 50 higher.

Choice and prime 85-110 lb slaughter lambs 41.50-42.00; choice 80-120 lbs 40.00-41.50.

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The pair was arrested Saturday night about 11 p.m. by the highway patrol on Interstate 55 one mile south of the Howardville interchange.

On Monday while they were in the courthouse corridor awaiting arraignment on charges of carrying a concealed weapon, and possession of a controlled substance, they walked out of the courthouse unnoticed. They were apprehended soon afterward when they were seen walking on top of the levee along Route U north of New Madrid.

Ayers was charged with carrying a concealed .45 caliber automatic military pistol and Smith was charged with a misdemeanor of possession of marijuana.

They requested appointment of an attorney which was made Tuesday. Bond was set at $1,000 for Ayers and $250 was set for Smith.

Ayers has hazel eyes, long brown hair and a beard and was wearing a light colored, flowered shirt, blue jeans and laced boots. Smith has blue eyes, long reddish hair, and was wearing a blue flannel shirt, blue trousers and laced boots.

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including 47 lots in the urban renewal area, need cleaning up and that a loader and truck would be needed for the job. The council set $4,000 as the maximum price it would pay for cleanup operations.

The council also voted to pay $285.42 in special assessment taxes for street paving owed on an urban renewal lot at the corner of Boone and Vine streets.

Layton Pickard was appointed to the housing board to fill a vacancy left by the death of Roe Powell.

Joe Galemore, who wishes to set up a mobile home park on property he owns on Plant Road and Oak Street, was instructed to present his plans to the planning and zoning commission for approval.

A resolution accepting the bid of Zahner and Co. of Kansas City for the selling of $125,000 in water revenue bonds at an interest rate of 4.7840 was approved.

Also approved was a resolution calling for advertising of the 1974 street- paving program. Portions of the following streets are to be included: Lafayette, Green, West Byrd, Elkins, Cleveland, Bondurant, Ashby, Danforth, Missouri, South Chestnut, Deal East Byrd and Grand Avenue.

Chief Richey was authorized to formulate new rules and regulations for the auxiliary police unit after he was appointed director.

Richey also was asked to obtain a model private investigator's license following a request for a license from Ray Anderson of Charleston. The only stipulation the council made was that the license not include permission to carry a gun.

Richey was granted permission to submit an application for three walkie-talkie units through the Bootheel Law Enforcement Assistance Council. If funding is approved, the city's share of the cost will be $528.

The council voted to contribute $150 to the Southeast Missouri Crime Laboratory in Cape Girardeau and to continue payments of $75 a month for rent on a building leased by Delta Area Economic Opportunity Corporation.

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assassinations of public officials and mass killings.

One man who walks up to another man on the street and kills him would not get the death penalty unless robbery was involved.

On the merit system plan, Democratic senators said they objected to Bond's leaving policy making division heads outside the Merit System.

Sens. William J. Cason, D-Clinton, and Albert Spradling, D-Cape Girardeau, complained that some competent Democrats have been fired by Revenue Director James R. Spradling since Republicans took control of the executive branch.

Bond said he was disappointed and said the party line vote showed "who is opposed to reform."

Most of the Republicans supported the Merit System plan.

Bond said the Senate Democrats "refused to allow us to remove one of the old vestiges of the spoils system by replacing the patronage system."

The reorganization bill vetoed by Bond last summer included the Merit System for the Revenue Department.

The Senate gave first-round approval to a bill that would combine the state Employes Retirement System with those of the Highway Patrol and Highway Department.

The $9 million bill, sponsored by Sen. Maurice Schechter, D-Creve Coeur, also would increase retirement benefits for legislators.

Legislators would be able to receive retirement benefits after only six years in the legislature with a maximum benefit equal to four-fifths of their annual salary. The salary for legislators now is $8,400 a year. A House committee has approved a bill raising the salaries to $12,000 a year.

Employes in the Highway Patrol and Highway Department would have to forego a pay raise this year to cover the cost of getting them into the state retirement system, Schechter said.

Also given first round approval was a bill to require employers to provide the state or political subdivisions lists of employes on request.

The bill is aimed at helping cities collect earnings taxes. Failure to comply would be a misdemeanor subject to a maximum fine of $1,000.

In committee action, the Senate Judiciary Committee approved a bill giving full rights, including the right to buy liquor, to persons aged 18 or over.

The only dissenting vote was by Sen. Earl Blackwell, D-Hillsboro, who tried and failed to amend the bill to exclude the right to buy alcoholic beverages.

Debbie Dunbar, a Washington University law student, told the House Labor Committee it would be more practical to amend titles in bills to bring the laws on sex distinctions up to date, rather than amend all the laws.

She supported a bill by Rep. Sue Shear, D-St. Louis County, to change the words "minor or woman" to "person" on a law saying women or minors won't have to clean any part of a piece of machinery while it is in motion.

She also would change from "girls or women" to "persons" a section of the law saying suitable places to wash and dress must be provided.

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Obedience classes set

CAPE GIRARDEAU — The obedience committee of the Southeast Missouri Kennel Club has set March 13 for the start of obedience training classes to be held in the Arena Building at 7:30 p.m.

For further information, residents of the Sikeston area may phone Mrs. Hazelle Wilson at 471-4328.

The date was selected at a club meeting here last week.

The club also decided to send the entire obedience committee to an obedience seminar sponsored by the Paducah (Ky.) Kennel Club March 30 and 31 in Paducah.

Mrs. Richard Hillyard of Sikeston was welcomed as a new member.

Club members are now making plans for an all- breed dog show to be held June 15 in Cape Girardeau.

Two arrested

Police today announced the arrest of Wanda Lee Downer, 216 E. Center St. for not having a city sticker, and Larence Tate of St. Charles for public intoxication.

Tommy Davis of the Baltimore Orioles paced American League designated hitters last season with a .293 average.

Weather spurs hopes of camping

So much warm weather in the middle of winter sometimes spurs the desire for traditionally summer activities. Tony Sisk of Morehouse, left, and Paul Martin of Sikeston took advantage of near 70 degree weather Tuesday to get their tent ready for a camping trip – if the weather holds. (Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

Building permits total $68,104

Building permits were issued for $68,104 worth of construction during January, according to City Clerk John Vaughn.

The permits included:

Spencer H. Ducey, extension of carport, 3 Mobile Drive, $304; Jackson and Jackson Inc., three- bedroom brick veneer, 117 Linda, $22,500; Thomas Hays, remodeling, 323 Petty St., $1,500; Annie William, remodeling, 1716 Ford St., $1,500; Slusher- Baker Inc., addition, 1035 S. Main St., $3,000.

A. D. Price, three- bedroom brick veneer, 706 Bayberry, $25,000; Thomas Stalcup, storage shed, 719 Greer, $300; Kenneth Hopwood, enclose carport, 400 Hardin St., $2,000; and Caproco, Inc., addition, Industrial Drive, $12,000.

Fire destroys Sterling home

EAST PRAIRIE-- The home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sterling, 206 Ramsey St., was destroyed by fire about 11:30 a.m. Tuesday.

The fire of undetermined origin had engulfed the five-room frame home and destroyed all furnishings and personal belongings by the time firemen arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling were at work and their son, Robert Todd, 6, was in school at the time of the fire.

The Sterlings moved into the new home in January 1973.

Break-in nets tape deck, cash

NEW MADRID-- A. C. Riley Cotton Co. office on Highway 61 was broken into Tuesday night and a stereo tape deck valued at approximately $200 and an undetermined amount of change from a soft drink machine were stolen.

According to Deputy Sheriff Flip Dees. the thieves entered the building by breaking through a door. Dees said drawers and files had been ransacked.

PORT WASHINGTON, N.Y. (AP) — Jamie the dog has a seeing-eye man.

The man, Ed Bostick, leads his blind terrier around the block twice a day. Jamie gets along quite well by himself indoors and in spite of his affliction seems happy. Now 10 years old and looking something like a small, closely sheared sheep, he went blind two years ago with cataracts.

Bond explains slowness; truckers still dissatisfied

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Gov. Christopher S. Bond and other state officials attempted to explain the often slow-moving wheels of state government to a group of independent truckers Tuesday, but the truckers appeared unsatisfied.

In the sometimes tense atmosphere of the hearing, the truckers' spokesmen made pleas to officials to take quick action to correct what they view as problems affecting their livelihood.

The most frequently heard recommendation was that the state increase the maximum weight trucks are allowed to carry from 73,280 to 80,000 pounds and the maximum length from 55 to 60 feet.

Truckers said they faced intense difficulty in collecting a 6 per cent surcharge authorized by the federal government to partially compensate them for soaring fuel costs.

They told state officials many carriers were refusing to pay the additional amount.

J.W. "River Rat" Edwards, president of the Owner-Operators and Independent Drivers Association of America, said promises made by the federal government were not being honored.

He said the truckers were promised a 110 per cent fuel allocation over their 1972 use in December, 1973 and there were places where the allocation was substantially below that.

Edwards emphasized the need for legislation to authorize the 60 feet and 80,000 pound maximums. He said such authorization would not hurt the highways and would allow the independent drivers to make up some of their losses since fuel costs began to soar.

"We have received absolutely nothing but promises" from Washington, Edwards said, and he asked the state officials for something other than promises to take back to his membership.

Gov. Bond, Revenue Department Director James Spradling and Sen. Jack Gant explained that a bill to authorize the increase in weight was currently in a House committee and the truckers should contact the members of the committee to urge them to send it to the full House quickly.

They said it might be possible to place the bill for special House consideration and amend it to include the length limitation the truckers are seeking.

Edwards said the state of Washington had enacted such legislation in three days and wondered why it could not be enacted quickly in Missouri since immediate action can often be taken by government in other situations.

Most truckers and representatives said they were seeking some tangible accomplishment to take back to their members to assure them that action was being taken.

Some said that despite public feeling to the contrary, the independent shutdown is not over and in fact may get worse.

Edwards said there are rumors that members of the Teamsters Union who are employed by large companies may join the independent walkout. If they do, he asked, what position would the nation find itself in?

William Van Matre, a Mexico attorney representing an association of independent truckers, described the truckers as "scared" because they are unable to get fuel to continue profitable operation.

Atty. Gen. Danforth told the truckers that because they had resorted to demonstrations and disorganized activity before they had sought meeting with state officials, "you've gone about it backwards."

Not so, shot back Richard Shaikewitz, representing the Independent Truckers Corp.

Perhaps, Shaikewitz told the attorney general, "you haven't been cognizant of the problems of your constituents."

The trucking representatives emphasized that the problem was serious and many independent operators would be forced out of business if they did not get some relief.

Rotary to mark anniversary

DEXTER — The Dexter Rotary Club will mark its 25th anniversary Feb. 26 by honoring past local and district officers.

Bill Kerstner is chairman of the planning committee.

Cash taken from Home Oil machine

Thieves took $60 in cash from a vending machine at Home Oil Co. on East Malone Avenue sometime between Friday and Monday, police said today.

The theft was discovered when the machine was opened. Police said damage to the machine was estimated at $8.

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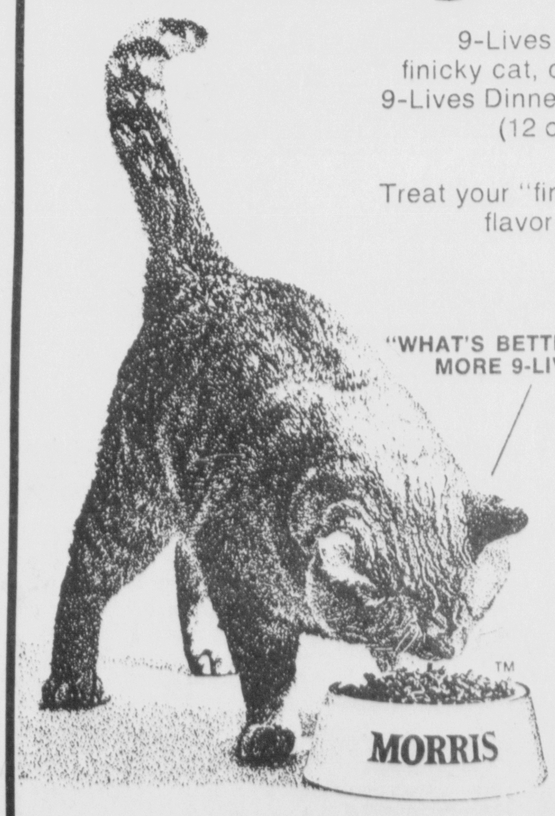

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Glad Trash Bags		24/10 Ct.	77¢
Paper Towels	Viva, Strong & Absorbent	126-Ct. Roll	38¢
Pork & Beans	Showboat Canned	14½-oz. Tins.	17¢
Grapefruit Juice	Town House	Qt.-14-oz. Tins.	49¢
Margarine	Goldbrook Solid Pack	3 1-lb. Pkgs.	$1
Shortening	Velkay All Purpose	3-lb. Tin.	99¢
Family Flour	Harvest Blossom	5-lb. Bag.	83¢
Gentle Bleach	White Magic	1-Gal. Btl.	39¢

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Center Slice	For Frying,	Lb. $1.59
Lopster Tails	Fresh frozen	$5.29
Pork Patties	Chicken Fried, Heat 'n Eat!	12-oz. Pkg. $1.19
Sausage	Safeway Whole Hog 2-Lb. Pkg. $2.57	1-lb. Pkg. $1.29
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Waffles	Bel-air, Why Pay More?	8 5-oz. Pkgs.	$1
Patio Tortillas	Our Low Price!	4 9-oz. Pkgs.	$1
Cream Pies	Bel-air Quality	3 14-oz. Pkgs.	$1
Orange Juice	Minute Maid 100% Florida	3 6-oz. Tins.	$1
Strawberries	Scotch Treat	10-oz. Ctn.	39¢
Orange Juice	Scotch Treat	12-Oz. Tin	39¢
Meat Pies	Swanson, Easy to Fix	3 8-oz. Pkgs.	$1
Fish Cake Dinner	Captain's Choice	11-oz. Pkgs.	43¢

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Cooked Salami	Safeway Quality	6-oz. Pkg.	59¢

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Sirloin Tips Steak	Boneless Beef	Lb.	$1.98
Beef Patties	Chicken Fried Heat and Serve!	1-lb Pkg.	$1.19
Burritos	Mexican Style, Beef and Bean	1-lb. Pkg.	89¢
Corn Dogs	Just Heat and Serve	Lb.	$1.08
Meat Wieners	Safeway Quality	12-oz. Pkg.	98¢
Sliced Bologna	Safeway Beef	6-oz. Pkg.	57¢

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Cream Cheese	Lucerne Fresh!	3-oz. Pkg.	16¢
Sliced Cheese	Lucerne American	8-oz. Pkg.	63¢

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Skylark Buns	Hot Dog or Hamburger	8-Ct. Pkg.	34¢
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English Muffins	Mrs. Wright's	12-oz. Pkg.	45¢
Skylark Bread	Old Fashioned Bread	3 1-lb. Loaves	$1
Pecan Twirls	Mrs. Wright's, Delicious!	9-oz. Pkgs.	50¢
Mini Loaves	Mrs. Wright's White Brown & Serve	1-lb. Pkg.	63¢

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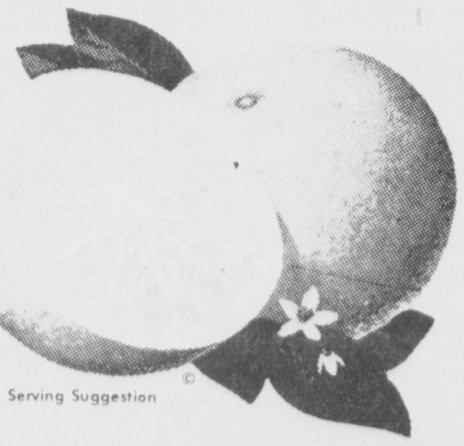

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Prunes	Gardenside Breakfast Prunes	2-lb. Pkg.	$1.29
Orange Juice	Safeway Pure Juice	½-Gal. Btl.	97¢

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Potatoes	U.S. #1 Garden-Side Red	10-lb. Bag.	$1.39
Broccoli	New Crop! Our Low Price	Lb.	33¢
Oranges	Sweet and Juicy Fruit	5-lb. Bag.	69¢
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Cake Mixes	Duncan Hines, Layer Cake Mixes	1-lb. 2½-oz. Pkgs.	49¢
Dial Bath Soap	Everday Low Price!	5-oz. Bar.	28¢
Hamburger Helpers	Betty Crocker, Money Savers!	7-oz. Pkg.	60¢
Salad Dressing	Wishbone Chunky Blue Cheese Dressing	8-oz. Btl.	55¢
Chicken & Dumplings	Sweet Sue Brand	1-lb. 5-oz. Tin.	69¢
Cream Cheese	Kraft Philadelphia Brand, Low Priced!	3-oz. Pkg.	18¢
Macaroni & Cheese	Kraft, Quickn' Easy to Prepare!	2 7¼-oz. Pkgs.	55¢

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Mrs. Felker receives degree

COLUMBIA — Mrs. Jan Sargent Felker received a bachelor of science degree in December from University of Missouri - Columbia. Mrs. Felker made the dean's list and graduated cum laude with a degree in elementary education.

She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John P. Sargent, 999 N. Kingshighway, Sikeston, and is married to Ed Felker, a student at the university's School of Medicine.

They live in Columbia.

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(R)
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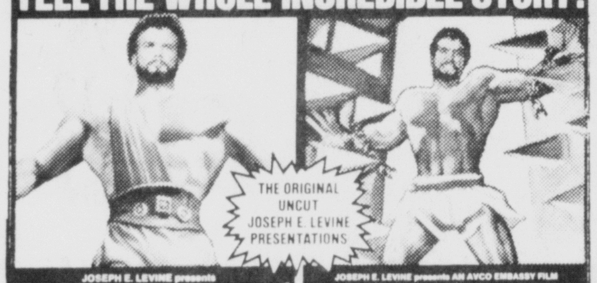

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LOOKING BACK

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50 years ago
February 13, 1924

Malone Theatre today, Ralph Graves in "The Ghost Patrol." Admission 10 and 20 cents.

The Lair Furniture Co., of Charleston has rented one of the rooms in the Young-Mayfield building and will stock it, when completed, with a line of furniture and home fixings that will be equal to any stock in Southeast Missouri.

Miss Mildred Bowman has accepted a position at the post office here.

Arthur Kem and family of Sikeston moved to Miner Switch Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Layton entertained with a dinner at their home last Sunday in honor of their son, Jessie's, birthday.

40 years ago
February 13, 1934

Brief funeral services were held Sunday at the home of Sid Hornback of this city for his aunt, Mrs. Sarah E. Williams, of Memphis, Tenn., who died on the eighth in the City Hospital in Memphis from pneumonia and complications of diseases.

On Monday morning, a large number of friends attended the wedding of Miss Edith Frey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Frey, to Oliver Dumey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dumey, both families of which are successful farmers of this community. The ceremony was performed at a Nuptial Mass at St. Francis Xavier Church.

Thomas Burton Russell, age 76, died Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Nevada Cantwell, about three miles south of Sikeston.

Sensenbaugh's Tractor & Implement Co., a recently organized firm, will have its headquarters in the Sensenbaugh Bros. Garage. This new firm will carry a complete line of J. L. Case Tractors and Farm Machinery. Arba Sensenbaugh will be manager and salesman of this concern.

30 years ago
February 13, 1944

The Taylor Funeral Home has purchased a large lot between the Catholic Church and the Loomis Mayfield residence facing Malone Park to the north, from Lee Hunter of St. Louis and a modern funeral home is to be constructed on the lot as soon as possible.

The following children will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, administered by the Most Rev. George J. Donnelly D. D., Auxiliary Bishop of St. Louis on Thursday evening, February 17 at St. Francis Xavier Church in Sikeston; Margaret Ann Moore, Marilyn Moore, Dorothy Louise Cooley, Marjorie Ann Smith, Mary Ann Walker, Kitty Ann Alberson, Etta Mae Glaus, Patricia Jameson, Helen Marie Shy, Shirley Ann Seyer, Mary Cecilia Litchford, Marcella Miles, Marjorie Beinert, and Louise Meunir.

Patsy Hopper, Marjorie Ann Campbell, James Middleton, George Waters, Robert McCarver, Edward Schwab, Kenneth Rennier, Carl Rennier, Floyd Pobst, James Pobst, Eugene Pobst, Jimmie McReynolds, Bobby McReynolds, Joseph Leible, and Ernest Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Corlew are parents of a daughter born Monday at their home, 403 Harris Street. She has been given the name of Cassandra Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Matthews are parents of their first child, a daughter born February 2 at Sikeston General Hospital. She has been named Mary Helen.

Morley-- Clara Foster spent the weekend in Cape Girardeau with Marie Vaughn.

20 years ago
February 13, 1954

Charleston-- Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Belle Lacock, 88, a resident of Charleston the past 14 years, will be tomorrow. She died this morning at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Wert Gwaltney, 306 South Third street.

New Madrid-- A life- long resident of New Madrid County, Mrs. Mattie Sheby, 85, died yesterday at her home in New Madrid.

Funeral services for Julius G. Kluge, 81, an area resident in the early 1900's will be tomorrow in Herrin, Ill. Mr. Kluge came to this region about the turn of the century and settled near Morley at what became Kluge's Hill on Highway 61 north. Here he developed a large peach orchard that became known throughout Southeast Missouri.

Mrs. Sara Virginia Young, 93, died yesterday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Ada Ewin of Route 3, Matthews, with whom she had made her home.

Little Carol Jean Walden recently celebrated her first birthday with a party given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walden, formerly of Sikeston, now living in Flint, Mich.

H. L. Stacy and John Matthews, both of Sikeston, were awarded 20 and 10- year service pins, respectively, at a meeting this week in Cape of the Standard Oil Co.

Morehouse-- Continuing to sweep past all opposition with considerable ease, the Morehouse Tigers collected their 26th straight basketball victory last night, defeating Lilbourn 88- 38.

SeMo students named to honor roll at ASU

JONESBORO, Ark. — Nine Southeast Missouri students have been named to the honor roll for the fall semester at Arkansas State University.

To qualify for the honor roll, a student must carry 12 hours and make a 3.25 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale.

Bootheel area students named to the honor roll were:

Gale L. Robinson of Bernie; Elizabeth A. Howard and Phyllis C. Howard of Clarkton; Carol L. Davis of Dexter; Paul D. Cunningham and Jamie S. Lawrence of Gideon; Roy R. Jones, William Morgan III and Ricky L. Slavings of Hayti.

Sandra L. Bollinger, David L. Drake, Peggy L. Evans, Kristi S. Hester and Phyllis A. Miles of Malden; Gerald L. Harris of New Madrid; Ann Grable and Deborah A. Hoggard of Portageville; and Jammie L. Beaird of Sikeston.

Butz says he anticipates no food shortage

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz predicted today Americans will not be short of food in this century but cautioned that farmers must be allowed profitable prices and outlets to world markets.

"Farmers respond to prices," Butz said. "Strong crop prices in late 1972 and early 1973 were an effective incentive for farmers to produce record crops. If prices had not been allowed to increase to reflect growing demand, then increased production clearly would not have come forth as it did."

Butz's remarks were in a speech prepared for a seminar sponsored by the Governor's Council on Agriculture.

Citing U.S. farm production gains the past 25 years, Butz said there is large potential for further gains in the future.

Movie depicts road to alcoholism

NEW YORK (AP) — ABC-TV tonight is airing a show that may be particularly frightening to those who say they've no doubts about their ability to handle booze. They, above all, should see it.

The show, "The Morning After," stars Dick Van Dyke as Charlie Lester, a well-liked, successful oil company public relations man whose mornings after increasingly are becoming more than just the inside sweats.

It's not just a tale about the downfall of a corporate lush.

Rather, it's a chilling, sip-by-sip study, stirred with a heavy swizzle stick for dramatic emphasis, of how easily any "social drinker" can slide into alcoholism without realizing there's no way he or she can handle any kind of drinking.

On the surface, the 43-year-old hero of "The Morning After" has a life most would envy — a fat salary, the respect of his employer, a good family, a home in Los Angeles' exclusive Pacific Palisades area.

And his tippling isn't the cheery "I'll drink to that!" style we commonly attribute to the public lush. He sips politely, ostensibly pacing his intake for the first few rounds.

The show brilliantly outlines the danger signs every member of Alcoholics Anonymous can recite on cue — post-bottle losses of memory, increased solo drinking, defensiveness about drinking.

One part in which it lags is a not-too-realistic scene in which he blubbers to a psychiatrist that his booze problems all stem from lack of self-respect caused by an unhappy childhood.

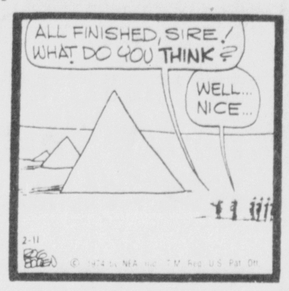
But the rest of it is all there — the alternate nagging and forgiveness of his wife, threats by his boss to can him if the boozing continues, the frequent pledges to quit or cut down.

Aside from the psychiatrist scene, the only other fault I'd find with the show is that its makers sporadically insert some pop music and lyrics — "I'm not half the man I used to be" from "Yesterdays" — to make sure we realize Charlie Lester has big problems. It's unnecessary.

But over-all, "The Morning After" is a realistic, powerful show that bears watching. It's a strong and welcome antidote to the usual run of TV movies about happy folks with happy problems.

And the entire cast turns in believeable performances, particularly Van Dyke, an admitted "recovered alcoholic."

He creates an unusually gripping portrait of a basically decent man who, even in his sober moments, refuses to admit he's got a disease just as crippling as any — and that the only way to cure it is to quit drinking entirely.



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What's the law?

The case of the frustrated waiter

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Before the telephone was invented, people thought talking over a wire was impossible; it still was as far as Herbert was concerned.

Over an eight- month period of time, he kept careful and accurate records to show that he had spent 61 1/4 frustrating hours waiting to obtain a dial tone, to complete a call or to obtain assistance from telephone company personnel.

Armed with these records, he finally sued the telephone company for failing to provide him with proper service. Specifically, he demanded to be paid for the value of his lost time.

"Not only didn't the telephone company maintain standards of efficiency that I considered proper," he complained in court, "it didn't maintain it's own prescribed standards of efficiency. The whole mad scene was right out of Alice in Wonderland.

"With the constant and rapid increase in the demand for installations, equipment and service," responded a telephone company official, "the situation has become very trying. And, we've been trying the best we can!"

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the telephone company pay frustrated Herbert for the value of his lost waiting time?

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½ tsp. dried herbs (mixed; basil or tarragon)
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Sikeston Standard Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Sir:

I would like to use your newspaper as a means of saying thank you to all the many people who helped during the tragic accident involving the school busses from Bell City School. To the doctors, nurses and hospital personnel who worked effectively to handle the emergency; to the many who helped to bring the injured from the accident scene to the hospital; and to the people everywhere who pitched in to help, to Avis Rampley, the high school secretary, who stayed patiently by the phone answering calls from worried parents, and to all our kids who came bravely through the accident. We sure are proud of them!

I think one person deserves a special commendation. Mr. Thomas J. Sanders, a sixth grade teacher at Bell City, was riding the bus that turned over. His quick thinking and calm leadership helped to avert more panic and possible more serious injury to the children. He managed to get out of the bus and go call for help. He then returned and with the help of some of the older boys and girls helped most of the children from the bus. They all deserve much praise.

I would personally like to say thank you to one fine lady — Mrs. Murlene Patterson. She found my two (2) nephews wandering around on the road, took them home with her and called their mother. One of the boys was one that required hospitalization. So her thoughtfulness was appreciated so very much.

I hope everyone will accept my family's heartfelt thanks.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. Vernis Ramsey

Editor,
Sikeston Standard

Dear Sir:

A lot of Americans are wondering if the Watergate committee are so interested in facts why didn't they do some digging into the Kennedy murders it sure don't keep the people from thinking there were higher ups involved and it was an inside job also the Luther King murder. I read in the paper a few days ago where Ray's lawyer was sending an affidavit to the federal court that there were higher ups involved. There is one thing for sure President Nixon did not commit murder.

And try digging into the facts why did Ted Kennedy wait 9 hrs. to report the accident that took the life of that girl why don't they try finding more facts about that.

And talk about payoffs I have my doubts if there are 50 men in top government officials that has not took bribes in some form or another. Money contracts promises of help in business or jobs and many others to get votes.Why call pot Blackie when most of them who holler do worse. People know that there are communist in all of our goverment and they are doing everything they can to destroy the faith in our President and Nation and our way of life so they can take over they are trying to panick the American people. We are the best fed, best clothed, best educated and have more than any other nation in the world so quit griping and thank God you live in America.

Thats the big day the Communists are waiting for the Impeachment and disgrace of our President and nation so people better wake up they are not just trying to destroy a party but our nation and you better realize this before its too late.

The way I look at it those guys couldn't care less what it does to our nation just so we go down in disgrace.

Imogene Chappell
306 Smith St.
Sikeston, Mo. 63801

P.S. I hope the people realize where we are headed and rally behind our President.

February 9, 1974

March of Dimes
SEMO Chapter
Box 74
Scott City, Mo.
Ph-264-2409

To the Editor:

On behalf of the SEMO County Chapter, March of Dimes, I would like to thank you for the excellent coverage and publicity you gave us in our recent Mothers March.

Many youth groups and Civic Clubs helped this year as well as individuals which is the reason for the success of our 1974 campaign.

The response from teenagers this year was overwhelming and I think Scott County should be extremely proud of the youths who helped us in our fight against birth defects.

Sincerely,
Louise Miller,
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Price to pay for energy independence

WASHINGTON (AP) — For the United States to be energy independent by 1980, the U.S. consumer will have to drive a more economical car and pay higher gasoline prices, the Federal Energy Office says. There's more.

Energy officials say independence also will mean higher parking fees, vehicle registration fees and fuel taxes, and maybe a tax on high energy - consuming appliances.

Industries must cut the energy they use in manufacturing, recycle more of their materials, and shift their schedules to spread their use of electricity more evenly over the calendar and the clock.

The electric power industry itself must shift more of its plants from burning oil to burning coal, the FEO says. As a result the nation must put off for five years the achievement of some of its clean-air standards. While all this is going on, coal production must increase 60 per cent, oil production 22 per cent, natural gas production 15 per cent, and atomic power — now only a small contributor — must multiply tenfold.

All this, it turns out, is what President Nixon meant by "Project Independence," his call last month for a drive to make the United States self-sufficient in energy by 1980.

The Federal Energy Office unveiled the details Monday in a background paper issued at the conference of major oil-consuming nations.

With the sudden tripling of foreign oil prices since last October, the FEO paper said, "it is clear that there has been a fundamental change in the economics of petroleum production.

In recent years, the report said, U.S. energy production has grown about 3 per cent per year. It must grow about 4.6 per cent per year to achieve energy independence by 1980.

U.S. energy demand has increased more than 5 per cent annually for the last three years, and the FEO said studies indicated a long-range growth of about 3.6 per cent per year, or more.

The growth of demand must, instead, be cut to 2 per cent a year, the FEO said.

OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS

FT. HOOD, Tex. — Army Specialist Four Mark A. Hux, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Hux of Essex, Mo., re-enlisted for four years in the regular Army while serving with the 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Tex.

Spec. Hux is assigned to Service Battery, 1st Battalion of the Division's 92nd Field Artillery.

His wife Dana lives on Windmill Trailer Park, Route Four, Belton, Texas.

DOVER, Del. — Sgt. Marvn L. Garmon, son of Mrs. Margie B. Garmon of Portageville, Mo., has graduated from the Military Airlift Command's Noncommissioned Officer Leadership School at Dover Air Force Base.

Sgt. Garmon, who was trained in military management and supervision, is a supply specialist at Scott AFB, Ill.

A 1971 graduate of Portageville High School, the sergeant attended Belleville (Ill.) Junior College.

His wife Geraldine is the daughter of Mrs. Lula B. Frazier of 36 Portage Village, Portageville.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor

Dear Sir:

What ever happened to the underground newspaper about the upstanding and fine citizens of Sikeston?

About 2 months ago I read one which was circulating in Cape which was written by (quote) "The scared and concerned citizens of Sikeston". (unquote)

It had to deal with some shady dealings of Sikeston business men, and named names and named dates and challenged these men to deny it. It was just about the first honest thing I've ever seen about this town.

Everybody in Cape was tickled to death by it, but I came here to buy one and couldn't find a copy anywhere

I suspect it was banned by these higher up citizens to keep Sikeston people from seeing it.

Well, anyway I just wanted all you little crooks and swindlers out there to know that somebody saw it.

Thank you Sir,
Mrs. Barbara Smith
202 Northwest St.
Sikeston, Mo.

Hairdressers to attend roundup

POPLAR BLUFF — Area hairdressers will have an opportunity Sunday to watch an outstanding guest artist, Jack LaPlante of St. Louis, at the spring educational roundup. The program will begin at 10 a.m. and end at 4 p.m. at Al-ed-co Copper Kettle Restaurant, Highway 67 North.

LaPlante is a salon owner, cosmetology school owner, member of St. Louis Hair Fashion Committee, Missouri Hair Fashion Committee and Official Hair Fashion Committee. He is currently president of the St. Louis Cosmetology Association and is immediate past styles director of Missouri Hair Fashion Committee.

A hairstylist for 20 years, LaPlante has experience in all types of styling and is versed in all phases of the beauty profession.

Assisting him with the program will be Paul Hoffmeister, Margaret Estes, Evelyn Felker and Carolyn Gaither of Cape Girardeau, members of the Missouri Hair Fashion Committee and the Regional Cosmetology Association, Affiliate No. 23.

A fashion show with fashions from Charles Fashions of Poplar Bluff will be held at noon, and a smorgasbord meal will be served.

The meeting is for licensed cosmetologists. Members of the National Hairdressers Cosmetology Association will be admitted free with non-members being charged admission.

For more information, contact Mrs. Betty McCord of Jackson, phone number 243-4317; Mrs. Margaret Estes of Cape Girardeau, 335-5925; or Bill Dodd of Sikeson, 471-1750.

Some enterprising fellow is going to take all those mercury-laden fish and make souvenir thermometers out of them.

'Investor must select best hedge'

By CROCKET SCOTT

"With its true worth not obvious, it may go for a song."
... author unknown

While there is widespread disagreement about the state of the economy, at present and down the road a piece, too -- even among the experts -- there seems to be a general concurrence that inflation will continue at varying rates for years to come.

The investor then must try and select the best hedge.

Astute and nimble traders often do well moving in and out of common stocks -- and even depressed bonds from time to time.

Long-term investors, who have thorough knowledge of the fundamentals of medium to better quality stocks and buy when the stocks have sold off, frequently have good batting averages, too.

And, of course, they know when to sell, as well as when to buy.

But, in recent years, those people who purchased real estate, antiques and original art (by recognized artists and by those artists whose renown was moving up) have been in the happy state (with few exceptions) of not having to have known when to sell.

Why, because their holdings just kept going up -- and, for that matter, the real estate, original art and antique markets still are rising - while the stock market has tumbled to a mere fraction of its former worth, in the instance of a great many equities and bonds.

So, these markets have been excellent hedges against the constantly declining value of the dollar (For that matter, so has gold, although gold fluctuates in relatively wide swings as the gold market is invaded continually by sharp traders, whereas purchasers of antiques, original art and real estate usually are for long terms, making for market stability).

Thus, it would seem that in addition to depressed common stocks -- and there are a great many available today -- the astute investor should look around in the original art, real estate and antique markets for possible acquisitions.

These markets, of course, are precarious for the novice; and professional counsel should be sought.

A tour of big city art galleries and professional collectors could be enlightening and good place to start. This would acquaint the beginner with some of the established painters, and with those who have placed in the shows and who are on the way up.

It is interesting, as one begins to learn the names of the artists and "the schools" to which they belong, to ask art dealers for their evaluations of various artists, and their works and the prices they command.

Just as in appraisals of the economy by those well qualified to make such appraisals, you often get differing opinions. Thus, in the final analysis, as in the selection of a common stock, you sift the appraisals of the professionals and make your own decision.

The cash richness of individual collectors determines, of course, what the individual collector would pay for a work of art. If he is rich enough not to have to sell it in a hurry, he would pay more for it. If, of course, he sees real worth in the object.

Antique dealers and real estate buyers and holders appraise personal and real property from various approaches, too; and it is an education to study their methods -- an education which at some time in the future may yield rich rewards.

Just as in buying stocks or anything else, Ben Franklin's adage, "haste makes waste", is very true.

Indeed, you should "look befory you leap", realize that "knowledge is money" and that "one gets paid for what he knows."

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Dancing the tango

Rick Venson and partner Sue Moore dance a tango during a dancers' showcase ball in Tulsa, Okla.

Venson instructs dancing

TULSA, Okla. — Rick Venson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Vaughan of 113 Terrace Drive, Sikeston, Mo. is an instructor at the Arthur Murray Dance Studio in Tulsa, where he has taught ballroom dancing for the past year and a half.

Venson began his training in St. Louis and completed it in Tulsa. He is presently working toward his third level of dancing, the gold standard.

Venson and his partner, Sue Moore, will be in a professional dancers' showcase Feb. 17-18 in Dallas, Tex.

Doctor is named as diplomate

KANSAS CITY --Dr. Andrew D. Martin of Sikeston has been named a diplomate of the American Board of Family Practice (ABFP) as a result of passing a certification examination offered by the ABFP. He is now certified in the family practice specialty.

To achieve diplomate status, Dr. Martin took an intensive two -day written examination designed to prove his ability in the area of internal medicine, surgery, obstetrics, gynecology, pediatrics, psychiatry and community medicine.

The physicians also must continue to show proof of competency in the field of comprehensive continuing care of the family by being recertified every six years. No other medical specialty requires diplomates to prove competence on a continuing basis.

To qualify for the examination, doctors either must have completed a three -year family practice residency or have been in family practice a minimum of six years and successfully complete 300 hours of continuing medical education approved by the American Academy of Family Physicians.

The latest group of diplomates took the fourth examination offered by the ABFP. Most are members of the Academy of Family Physicians, the national association of family doctors. In addition to being the only national medical doctor group to require members to take continuing medical study, the AAFP was chiefly responsible for securing specialty status for family practice.

The camel was one of the first animals domesticated by man. Contrary to popular belief, the camel's hump does not store water, but instead serves as a storehouse for fat, The World Almanac notes. This central concentration of fat enables a camel's body to dissipate heat more rapidly under extreme desert conditions.

Insurance men attend meeting

Three Sikeston insurance men attended a district meeting in Sikeston for agents of the Farmers Mutual Hail Insurance Co. of Columbia.

The local agents who attended are C. E. Cantrell, Bill Burke and Richard Edwards.

A total of 75 agents and their wives attended the meeting — one of nine conducted throughout the state for the company's 950 agents. The original crop insurance company in Missouri, the firm is beginning its 77th year.

In 1973, the company insured over 1.5 million acres of crops against hail and fire damage for a total volume of $125 million.

A record of almost $5 billion worth of insurance protected farmers against losses to growing crops in 1973, a year in which $100,455,023 in losses was paid by private insurance companies for hail damage.

Fieldmen in charge of the meeting were Bill Dorward of Dexter and Robert Hesselrode of Kennett.

Focus on Business

The Chinese began using gunpowder in fireworks around the 9th century and developed the making of fireworks displays into an art. Until this century, most fireworks used in American Fourth of July celebrations had been imported from China, The World Almanac notes.

Reorganization bill to cost $50,000,000 more

SEN. NELSON B. TINNIN

JEFFERSON CITY — The Senate and House have agreed on a compromise measure of reorganizing State Government. Legislative process, by its very nature, is always a matter of compromise — that is the way all laws are made.

Senate conferees on the bill have said that there will be from 100 to 350 bills introduced in the next few years to amend the bill to make it workable. Some Senate members have said that they will have bills ready by Monday to introduce. Some Senators on the Conference Committee have said that as this reorganization goes into effect that many heads of departments will find that the way they are reorganized will not function and they will be asking for changes.

As each head of department appeared before the Appropriation Committee, the Chairman asked each one if the reorganization bill would save any money and each one told the Appropriation Committee that in their department it would cost more. The new reorganization bill that the voters approved, expecting to save money, is now expected to cost around $50,000,000 more money. The heads of each of the 14 departments will have a salary of $30,000 or more a year. In this new reorganization bill, the various boards in the state, such as dental healing art, chiropractors, cosmetologists, real estate, etc, will keep their independence and have their own boards.

Teacher's retirement remained separate from other retirement boards.

House Bill 25 — the emergency appropriation bill, which passed in the special session, gives more than $8,000,000 to finance the bill to give more aid to dependent children and more aid to the blind.

In the federal take over of Welfare the increase in cost to the state is over $8,000,000. In this take over, 113,000 names were sent to Baltimore where the checks will be issued, and 5,300 Missouri names were lost some way in the transfer, therefore many Missourians did not receive their checks this month. The State Welfare Department said that any recipient who did not receive this January check could go to the county welfare office and if they were in dire need that the welfare office could issue a check to help them until their names are found.

This appropriation covered two welfare bills that were re-enacted in the special session to correct some language in the bills that were passed in the last session but the attorney general had ruled that the wording was illegal. During the special session, the speed limit was set at 55 miles an hour to begin with the federal law, and expire or change as the federal law changes. This was done so that the state highway department could receive their federal funds. If a person drives faster than 55 miles per hour, he or she can be fined, but will not lose points on their driver's license. The state highway department will place plastic covers over the present highway signs and hope to have them in place by the time the law goes into effect.

While the special session action was taking the headlines in all the papers, regular session appropriation's committees have been working long and hard on state budgets, beginning before the regular session even started. In the Senate on Jan. 21, we finished all hearing of State Departments and on Feb. 11 we started executive meetings all day Monday before other Senate members came to Jefferson City and we are staying on Thursdays and Fridays after other legislators leave.

The special session ended Friday and legislators returned Monday to continue work on the regular session, which is already in full progress and has been moving fast since Jan. 9.

There have now been introduced in the House 919 bills and 294 bills in the Senate. There is no way that that many bills could ever be debated on the floor, even though the House committees heard 155 bills in their committees last week and the Senate heard 34 bills.

This session ends April 15 and that is too many bills to be debated in a regular session.

The folloiwng bills that have been introduced in this regular session have been perfected or passed the Senate:

S.B. 336 — a measure that would license and regulate physical therapists. This bill has passed the Senate.

S.B. 346 — would make it a misdemeanor to open a fire hydrant without authorization. Perfected in the Senate.

S.B. 369 — authorizes a land conveyance in Springfield from the regional mental health diagnostic center to United Cerebral Palsy. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 370 — Easement of land in Springfield, Green County, to United Cerebral Palsy from State Department. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 483 — Bill adds one new circuit judge for the 23rd Judicial Circuit. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 421 — provides for the filling of vacancies on the Board of Trustees of the political subdivisions' retirement plan. Passed the Senate.

Senate Joint Resolution 15 — Lowers the voting age to 18 and residency requirement to 30 days. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 333 — The bill that repeals the personal property tax on household goods, wearing apparel, etc. replacing money lost to the local school districts and local governments. This bill has also been perfected in the House. In both bills the funds will be replaced that are lost to local governments. In the House Bill, the money would be replaced by money from the state general revenue funds or federal revenue sharing funds. Sponsor of the bill in the Senate thinks the lost revenue should be trimmed from the Governor's proposed budget. Cost of replacing the lost revenue to local governments is estimated at $14.2 million a year. In 1972 the voters approved a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to repeal the household goods tax, which its opponents say is impossible to collect properly. There was an effort made in the House to eliminate the provision for replacing the money lost to local school districts and governments. But this was lost on a vote of 41-110.

S.B. 436 — this bill would allow the Division of Health to establish regulations for insuring sanitary containers for soft drinks. This bill is perfected.

S.B. 395 — This bill requires that each person filing for an elective office must provide a sworn affidavit covering pertinent personal data at the time of filing and affixed to filing form, with penalty provision and deadline for filing. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 373 — The county assessor bill which provides a pay raise for assessors with the exception of first class counties. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 344 — which provides that easements granted telephone and telegraph companies by cities are to constitute a real property public easement so long as they are used for public utility purposes and that the easements are not to be terminated by any vacation, abandonment or sale by the state or its agencies. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 411 — this bill modifies the provisions of the motor fuel tax as applied to distributors as they apply to procedures for securing refunds. Passed the Senate

S.B. 347 — This measure provides for a second judge for the 20th Judicial Circuit of Franklin, Gasconade and Osage Counties. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 345 — Provides that the unexpended balance in the grade crosing fund at the end of each fiscal year would not revert to the general revenue, but accumulate in the fund from year to year. Perfected in the Senate.

S.B. 419 — bill would add the investment of retirement and pension funds in life insurance common stock to allowable uses for funds for investment. Passed the Senate.

SCS for S.B. 420 — Bill places restrictions on the dismissal of court actions by a plaintiff. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 423 — Bill would allow pension systems to invest funds in life insurance stocks. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 438 — bill would allow lower age of majority from 21 to 18 providing all the privileges, rights and immunities and, subject to all the obligations, liabilities and responsibilities of adulthood has been perfected in the Senate.

S.B. 483 — Adds one new circuit judge for Jefferson and Washington Counties, making three for the circuit. Passed the Senate.

S.B. 430 — would measure the salaries of employees of the state division of workmen's compensation. Passed the Senate.

There are eight bills that have passed the Senate that apply to pay raises in St. Louis and do not affect my area.

When a bill is perfected in the Senate there is usually no trouble in getting the bill passed. It then goes to the House; is assigned to a House Committee and if passed out of there goes to the floor for debate and passage. If it is amended over there it is sent back to the Senate for the Senate to accept the amendments or ask for a conference committee.

The pesticide bill, which I introduced again this year really is a compliance bill with the Federal Pesticide Law passed October 5, 1972. Missouri must have some type of pesticide legislation.

SOME KIDS NEVER GROW UP. Keno, a post-cub resident of the St. Petersburg, Fla., Aquatarium plays upside-down games with the photographer.

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COOKING-UP

Readers,

This week is a time for baking hearts and flowers and saying "I Love You" with a personal touch, like whipping up some dreamy dessert for that special someone. Most of the recipes included are simple and relatively quick to fix, so the chief cook and bottle- washer can also have a day of companionship.

Happy Valentine's Day!

Judy Stricklin

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Hearts of Gold are luscious heart- shaped cakes you can bake in either individual petits fours sizes or as a large layer cake. Fresh orange juice and rind give them their light, golden color and sparkling flavor that are in tune with the holiday.

If you choose to make the layer cake, top it with a fluffy Orange Seven- Minute Frosting. There's nothing like a homemade frosting to complement the flavor of your homemade cake, and this frosting recipe is the ideal one to bring out the refreshing orange flavor.

The small Hearts of Gold are fun for a Valentine's Day party. Just bake the cake in a jelly roll pan, then cut out two-inch hearts after the cake has cooled. To top off the hearts, choose either Easy Decorators' Frosting, a simple no- cook recipe, or Orange Decorating Glaze, which requires a little cooking.

HEARTS OF GOLD CAKE

2/3 cups soft butter or margarine
1¾ cups sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon grated orange rind
2¾ cups unsifted all-purpose flour
2½ teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
1¼ cups orange juice

In large bowl cream together butter and sugar. Beat in eggs, one at a time. Add orange rind. Mix together flour, baking powder and salt; blend into creamed mixture alternately with orange juice, beginning and ending with flour.

For large cake: Turn into two greased and floured nine-inch. heart- shaped, laver cake pans. Bake in 350- degree oven 45 to 50 minutes, until cake pulls away from side of pan and springs back when pressed lightly with finger. Cool 10 minutes; remove from pans and cool completely. Fill and frost with Orange Seven- Minute Frosting. Outline rim of cake with Candied Orange Peel.

For small cakes: Turn into greased and floured 15x10x1-inch baking pan. Bake in 350-degree oven 40 minutes, until cake pulls away from side of pan and springs back when pressed lightly with finger. Cool 10 minutes; turn out of pan and cool completely. Cut out two- inch hearts with cutter or follow paper pattern. Frost with either Easy Decorators' Frosting or Orange Decorating Glaze.

Yield: one layer cake or three dozen petits fours.

ORANGE SEVEN-MINUTE FROSTING

1½ cups sugar
2 egg whites
5 tablespoons orange juice
1/8 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon almond extract

Mix sugar, egg whites, orange juice and salt in top of double boiler. Beat with electric mixer or rotary beater until sugar is dissolved. Place over boiling water and cook, beating constantly, for seven minutes, or until frosting will stand in peaks. Remove from water. Add almond extract and beat until thick enough to spread.

CANDIED ORANGE PEEL

1 cup slivered orange rind
½ cup water
½ cup sugar

Remove thin outer rind of four or five oranges, using vegetable peeler to cut off rind in thin strips. Cut strips into slivers with scissors or knife. Combine with water and sugar in small saucepan. Stir over low heat until sugar dissolves. Simmer 10 minutes, until candied. Turn out onto waxed paper and cool.

EASY DECORATORS' FROSTING

1 box (1 pound) confectioners' sugar
½ cup orange juice

Mix sugar and orange juice together until smooth.

ORANGE DECORATING GLAZE

3 cups granulated sugar
¼ teaspoon cream of tartar
1½ cups orange juice
1 teaspoon vanilla
4 cups sifted confectioners' sugar

Combine sugar, cream of tartar and orange juice in heavy saucepan. Cook, stirring constantly, until sugar dissolves. Cook without stirring over medium heat to 226 degrees. Cool to lukewarm (110 degrees). Add vanilla; beat in confectioners's sugar.

CUPID'S CREAM PUFFS

½ cup margarine
½ tsp. salt
1 cup water
1 cup sifted flour
4 eggs

In medium saucepan heat margarine and water until margarine melts. Add salt and flour and stir vigorously over low heat until mixture leaves sides of pan.

Remove from heat and add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition until smooth and shiny.

Drop mixture by spoonfuls about three inches apart on ungreased cookie sheet, shaping into ball.

Bake in 400- degree oven for 50 minutes and cool on wire rack.

To serve, slice top off cream puff and fill with the Heavenly Orange Filling. Replace top and sprinkle with confectioners'sugar.

HEAVENLY ORANGE FILLING

1 pt. heavy cream
1¼ cups sifted confectioners' sugar
6 oz. can thawed orange juice concentrate, undiluted.
¼ tsp. almond extract, optional

Whip cream until stiff. Gradually beat in confectioners' sugar.

Fold in undiluted orange concentrate and extract.

DIVINITY (color this pink for the occasion)

Pint jar marshmallow creme
3 tbsp. water
2 cups powdered sugar
½ cup chopped nuts
tsp. vanilla

Beat marshmallow cream, water and vanilla at high speed on electric mixer until stiff peaks are formed. Add drop of red food coloring, if desired, for coloring.

Fold in powdered sugar and nuts.

Drop by teaspoonsful on waxed paper and let stand until firm.

This orange- flavored cake is full of raisins, walnuts and has an orange juice ingredient in the cake base.The topping is a sugar and nut combination.

ORANGE VALENTINE'S CAKE

6-oz. can thawed orange juice concentrate
1 cup sugar
2 cups flour
1 tsp. soda
1 tsp. salt
½ cup shortening
½ cup milk
2 eggs
1 cup raisins
½ cup chopped walnuts

Combine one- half cup orange concentrate with remaining ingredients in large mixing bowl. Blend for 30 seconds at low speed: then increase speed to medium and beat three minutes.

Pour into greased and floured 13x9 inch cake pan and bake at 350- degrees for 45 minutes.

Drizzle rest of orange juice over warm cake and then top with following topping.

SUGAR 'N NUT TOPPING

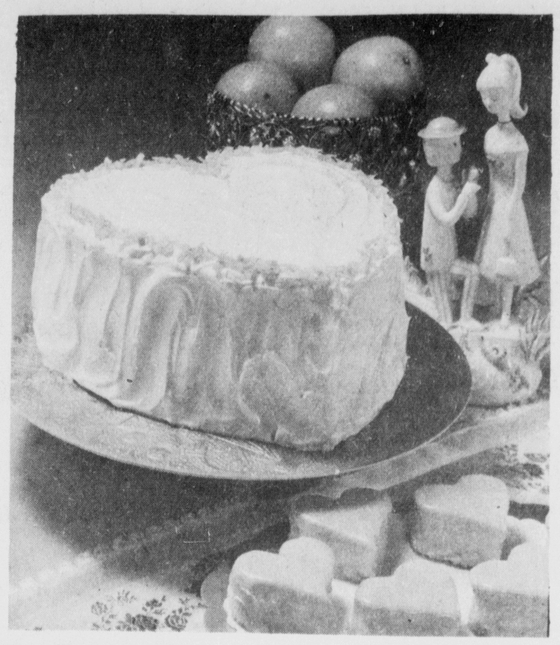
1/3 cup sugar
1 tsp. cinnamon
¼ cup walnuts

Combine ingredients in bowl and sprinkle over warm cake.

LOVE PUNCH

2 10-oz. pkgs. frozen sliced strawberries
2 6-oz. cans (undiluted) thawed orange juice concentrate
1 qt. ginger ale

Puree strawberries in blender or sieve and blend in orange concentrate. Add ginger ale. Makes about six to eight glasses.



Bake a heart-shaped cake

Beautiful hearts of gold set the theme for a St. Valentine's Day celebration.

Coffee Corner by Cherie

"Mary - Mary quite contrary, how does your garden grow?" "with silver bells and cockle shells all standing in a row!"

Sorry, I think that somewhere between the pages of Mother Goose and this column a few lines of the above have been slightly altered, but since its been awhile (thank goodness), since I had to read from Mother Goose I can't help it if my memory isn't but a half inch long and I forget easily — so please forgive.

Anyway, what brought that little rhyme to mind this week was my wonderful husband, who arose from the dinner table the other evening, picked up the telephone and informed our neighbor as well as myself that tonight was 'Green House Night' and to hurry up and do our dirty dishes so we could get out there and do his dirty work. Now Charles loves his greenhouse as much as he loves me, but when it comes time to clean up summer's mess and really get down to straightening things up for winter's heavy planting he opens the door wide and then, and only then, he invites Judy and me in with open arms. However, when the little goodies start growing and are fun to play with he locks the door and won't let us near his prizes with a ten foot pole! Tonight — tonight was another matter, however, the floor needed weeded, the flats needed filled, the shelves needed dusted, the bugs needed sprayed, and as an extra bonus for us when we finished all that he sat on a stool (which had been cleaned off by guess who), and like a fat, hairless Hitler handed out some 2,000 seeds of different varities for us to plant, water, date and catalog. Well, we finally finished, and then exhausted staggered out leaving Charles to check everything over and tuck his plants and seed babies in for the night — what a tyrant!! That rhyme should go — "Charlie - Charlie - very contrary — how does your garden grow?" "With Judy and Cherie doing the work, and me reaping the flowers they sow!"

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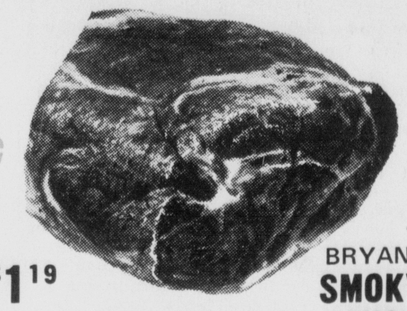

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KREY (By the piece) **BRAUNSCHWEIGER** LB **79c**

MAXWELL HOUSE **COFFEE** 2 LB CAN $1.79

RONCO WIDE **EGG NOODLES** 12 OZ PKG. **49c**
WILDERNESS **CHERRY PIE MIX** NO. 2 CAN **59c**
WELCH GRAPE JAM, **JELLY, OR PRESERVES** 20 OZ JAR **49c**

PUREX **BLEACH** HALF GALLON **39c**

GOLD MEDAL **FLOUR** 5 LB BAG **89c**

OLE SOUTH **Pie Shells** PKG OF TWO **29c**
SEALTEST **Frozen Dessert** PLASTIC HALF GALLON **79c**
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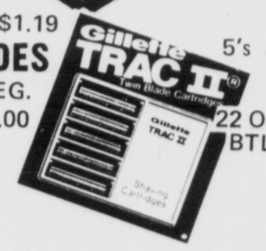

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By CLAY R. POLLAN

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1 Make	31 Useful	61 Solace
2 Seek	32 Paint	62 Commune
3 Romance	33 Discordant	63 And
4 Begin	34 Of	64 New
5 Chores	35 Solitude	65 With
6 Don't	36 Got	66 Nature
7 Don't	37 Important	67 Making
8 Don't	38 Children	68 Trends
9 Carry	39 Strain	69 Change
10 Old	40 Information	70 Them
11 Put	41 Atmosphere	71 Entertain
12 Allow	42 You	72 Accept
13 Your	43 And	73 Invitations
14 Anyone	44 Be	74 Make
15 Business	45 Alert	75 Your
16 Pleasure	46 Early	76 You
17 Is	47 To	77 Mind
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19 Health	49 Your	79 Eager
20 Under	50 Let	80 Pile
21 Furnishings	51 Personality	81 Keep
22 In	52 And	82 Happy
23 Thoughts	53 Sparkles	83 Spectator
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25 To	55 Rest	85 And
26 You've	56 Love-	86 Relax
27 With	57 Back	87 Sports
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Th 11 — Good — Adverse — 2/14 Neutral

THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane

"I don't like tea. Let's make believe it's somethin' else."

"I THINK ORVILLE'S HAD IT WITH THAT NUTTY DOG."

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Iran

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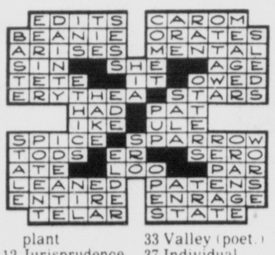

ACROSS

1 Persian poet
6 Modern Persia
10 Twin of Pollux (myth.)
11 Creature
13 Reluctant
14 Thin plate
15 Persian fairy
16 Heavy weight
17 Crowlike bird
18 Persian settlers in India (var.)
22 Time past
25 Prevarication
26 Set lesson
30 Capital of Iraq (var.)
32 Zoroastrian sacred books
34 Wartime partners
35 French revolutionary
36 Winter vehicle
37 Iranian export item
38 Choose
39 River of Syria
43 Express disapproval
46 Fruit drink
47 Spanish river
51 Zoroastrian deity (var.)
53 King of ancient Persia
55 Traps
56 Fishhooks
57 Greek goddess of discord
58 Spirited horse

DOWN

1 Put aside
2 Jacob's son (Bib., var.)
3 Aweigh (naut.)
4 Dower property
5 Choler
6 Silly
7 Edge
8 Surrounded by
9 Zola heroine
10 Head covering
11 Medicinal plant
12 Jurisprudence
16 Mao ——tung
19 Winglike parts
20 Frees
21 British gun
22 Near East garments
23 Rancor
24 Make eyes at
27 Concerning (2 wds.)
28 Halt
29 German philosopher
31 Queen of Carthage
32 Mine entrance
33 Valley (poet.)
37 Individual
40 Demolishes
41 Probability (pl.)
42 Worsted fabric
43 Cattle genus
44 French river
45 Persian poet, —— Khayyam
48 Gall
49 Regretted
50 World War II group (ab.)
52 Swiss canton
53 German article
54 Emmet

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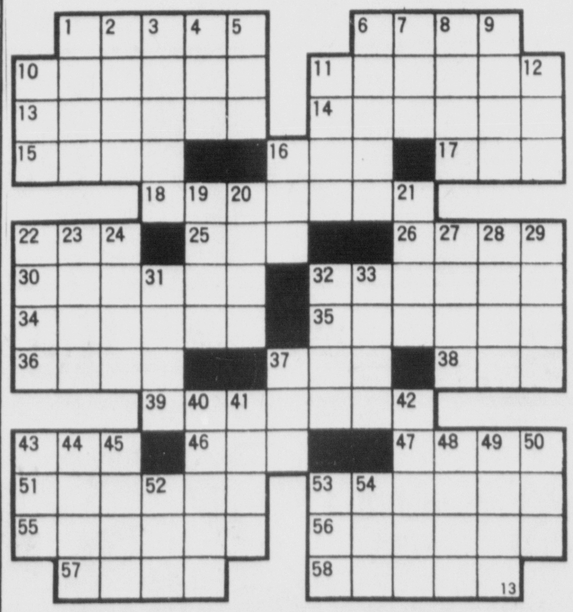

Today in U.S. history

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Wednesday, Feb. 13, the 44th day of 1974. There are 321 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1689, the English Parliament adopted a bill of rights.

On this date:

In 1633, the Italian astronomer, Galileo, arrived in Rome and was detained by the Roman Catholic inquisition.

In 1635, the first public school in America, the Boston Public Latin School, was founded.

In 1741, Andrew Bradford of Philadelphia published the first American magazine.

In 1920, the League of Nations recognized the perpetual neutrality of Switzerland.

In 1945, in World War II, the Soviets captured Budapest, Hungary, from the Germans after a 50-day siege.

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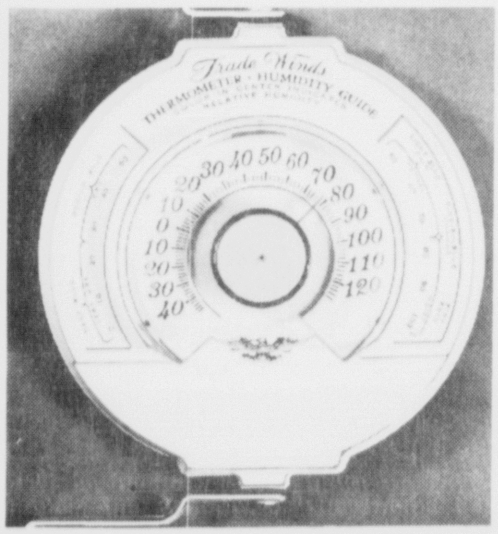

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